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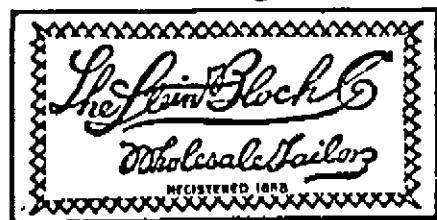
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VICTIM OF ACCIDENT.

Logging Conductor at Arbor Vitae Loses Life.

William Block, age twenty-five was killed at Arbor Vitae, Saturday. He was conductor on a logging train of the Yawkey-Bissell Lbr. Co., and had boarded one of the other trains, but while dismounting, must have slipped and been thrown under the cars, the train having passed over his body, leaving it in a mutilated condition. E. A. Hildebrand was called to Arbor Vitae to prepare the remains for burial. He is survived by a wife, parents, brothers and sisters. Mr. Block was well known in this city, having made frequent visits here. The funeral took place at St. Augustine's Church, this city, yesterday at 2 p. m. Rev. Johnson officiating. The B. of R. T. took charge of the funeral, a number of trainmen from points all along the line being present.

Those present from out of town were, Mr. and Mrs. August Block, New London, parents of deceased; A. Block, Bear Creek, Ed. Block, Clintonville, and Reynold Block, Clintonville, all brothers of deceased; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dingers, Racine and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Miller, Ashland; J. B. King and Miss Rose King of Arbor Vitae. Mrs. John Lewis of this city is a sister of the deceased.

Charles Gerhardt, age eleven, died of pleurisy at the home of his parents, Town of Pelican, Saturday. The burial services were held at the home, about three miles from the city, Tuesday.

WHEN IS A GUILTY MAN NOT GUILTY.

The supreme court of Ohio has entered the trust decision contest with a finding that bids fair to take first prize.

The iron bridge companies of Ohio formed a combination. Some dozen or more indictments were found charging them with having formed a trust and so violated the anti-trust laws. There were trials, motions to quash, demurrers and other things put forth by trust lawyers, but while the lawyers and judges were arguing about it, two of the defendants pleaded guilty and paid their fines.

The rest went on and in due course the Ohio supreme court was reached. In spite of the fact that two of the crowd had pleaded guilty the supreme court was unanimously in the opinion that no crime had been charged. The judicial microscope found a technical flaw in the papers and the bridge trust went scot free.

It is to be hoped that the two luckless defendants will not find themselves in contempt of court for having admitted their guilt.—Milwaukee Journal.

WHY PAPER DECAYS.

The brownish spots which appear in old books are really due to the ravages of bacteria. The tiny destroyer is especially fond of starch material and its propagation is promoted by damp. It has been well understood that damp produced discoloration and decay, but the share of the microbe in the operation has not hitherto been suspected. Tiny fungus or mold is responsible for gray and black marks upon old papers. In spotting the surface the fungus helps to break down the fabric and hasten the process of its destruction.—From the March Popular Mechanics.

SUNNY SIDE OF LIFE.

The extra number to the Citizens' Entertainment Course was a decided success. An audience of 150 gathered to hear Dr. James Hedley, and all were charmed and greatly delighted. Dr. Hedley is a master of beautiful and delicate phrases, and as he showed that happiness consists in what we are, rather than in what we have, pleading for reality and good humor and the fine play of the heart's affections, the audience took home again for a sweeter and happier life. Dr. Hedley could secure the same audience should he come again to Rhinelander.

BOUGHT THE BLOCH STORE.

E. P. Laugeson who went to Rhinelander the first of the week took a liking to H. Bloch's furnishing goods and shoe store in that city and has forsaken the banking idea and purchased this store from Mr. Bloch. He has already taken possession and we expect will move his family there in the near future.—Clintonville Tribune.

MANY ACRES RECLAIMED.

Since 1902, when the federal reclamation act was passed, the government has added 5,000,000 acres to the country's habitable land, and those with the 7,200,000 reclaimed from the desert before that year make an increase of more than 12,000,000 acres in the country's habitable area.—Exchange.

CREAMERY ASSOCIATION.

The convention of the National Creamery Butter-makers' Association will be held at St. Paul, March 11-12-13. These conventions have been of inestimable value and it is expected that the coming meeting will be even better than former occasions.

NEBRASKA AGAINST TAFT EVEN AS SECOND CHOICE.

Lancaster County Republican Convention instructs for Roosevelt for President. Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 14.—The Lancaster County Republican convention here today gave instructions for Roosevelt and refused to endorse Taft even as second choice. At the primaries yesterday Roosevelt had received twice as many votes as Taft, the farm and labor vote being almost unanimously for the president.

Today these elements showed their disapproval of the Taft machine in a decided manner. They refused to permit the instructions to go to a platform committee but declared for Roosevelt in open convention.

An attempt by the Taft leaders to get an amendment for the war secretary "In case it is impossible to secure Roosevelt" was voted down on roll call. Later in the proceedings a motion to declare Taft the second choice was voted down.

The antagonism to Taft by the farm and labor element was strong and openly expressed.

Many LaFollette supporters voted with the Roosevelt men and against the old machine which was behind the Taft movement.

CAUSE OF "RAIN" IN MOVING PICTURES.

Moving picture films are practically spoiled long before their life of usefulness should end because of the "rain" which blots out the clearness. This injury comes from the continuous winding and rewinding of the film through the machine at the rate of a foot a second, forming static electricity. The electricity attracts all the particles of dust and dirt floating in the atmosphere to the film, and in pulling the film up tight these particles scratch, hence the "rain."—March Popular Mechanics.

TO THE VOTERS OF THIS CITY.

I have decided to become a candidate for the office of Mayor and wish you to know my views upon the questions the city is most interested in, for every voter should know a candidate's platform. If elected mayor, it will be my policy to promote the best interests of the city. I believe in a square deal with equal rights to all and special privileges to none. As a member of the Board of Review, I shall endeavor to see that taxation is just and equal and shall cater to no faction or factions. So long as our city licenses saloons, I believe they are entitled to do business under reasonable control. If elected I will insist that this is done.

A few places where liquor is sold have always used screens or shades in front of their windows during closed hours, giving them special privileges over their competitors; this should not be. If elected mayor, I shall see that no special privileges are granted. I shall demand a clear view into the interior of places where liquor is sold. The law forbids the sale of liquor to minors and habitual drunkards and this law shall be rigidly enforced by me.

The water works controversy is now in the hands of one of the best attorneys in the State and any action to purchase them, before a legal decision is reached, will be vetoed by me. With the present outlook the city should be moderate in the expenditure of its money and it shall be my aim to carry out this policy.

With the assistance of the city council these pledges will be carried out.

CHAS. ROBERTS.

CHURCH NOTES.

"All Roads Lead to Heaven" was the sweeping statement of Dr. Hedley last Monday night. Rev. Thomas W. Gales does not believe that all roads lead to heaven and will answer the above statement, and give his reasons at the evening service next Sunday in the First Baptist Church.

Morning class was well attended. The anthem Sunday morning was beautiful and rendered with much feeling.

Mr. Willard Boyce was missed from his usual place, being called to Oak Creek by the severe illness of his brother.

Miss O. McDonald was detained from Sunday School thro' illness. Miss Estes was welcomed by her class after an extended visit.

Ladies' Aid will give a Martha Washington supper Friday evening in the Armory.

The primary department will hold their bazaar Saturday afternoon Feb. 22.

Subjects of sermons Sunday Feb. 23, a. m. Reverence; p. m. Jesus in Society.

St. Augustine. The St. Mary and St. Margaret classes were entertained by their teachers, Misses Scott and Higgins, at a candy pull Saturday afternoon.

The St. Andrew and St. Ambrose classes had a basket ball contest Saturday evening. Refreshments were served by their teachers, Mrs. E. O. Brown and Miss Joslin.

ANOTHER BROWN STREET FIRE.

Two Wooden Buildings Destroyed Wednesday Evening.

Fire was discovered about 8 o'clock last evening in the roof of the building owned by A. W. Shelton and occupied by the City Bakery. The fire was a difficult one to handle on account of the tin roof, as the flames had run along under the roof until the fire was beyond control and consequently the buildings were wrecked. The Shelton property was occupied by Peter Egloff and the City Bakery. The building adjoining was owned by the Lambert estate and was occupied by the new Kramer Bakery, recently opened and by the Vassar and Kramer families.

The Shelton building had an insurance of \$2000. The Lambert building had no insurance either on building or personal effects. Both bakeries carried insurance on stock. The Egloff personal property was taken out but much damaged by moving. This is the third moving on account of fire of the Egloff family within a few months.

This recent fire makes a still larger gap on Brown street and while disastrous to owners of property will in the end be the means of some fine brick buildings.

WELL KNOWN AND POPULAR YOUNG LADY WEDS.

On Wednesday evening at the Catholic parsonage, occurred the marriage of Miss Ethyle, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Holland of this city, to Irvin C. Dawley. The wedding party and a few relatives and close friends assembled at the parsonage at eight o'clock when the wedding march was played by Miss Gertrude Mahoney, after which, Rev. Doctor Lohmeyer performed the ceremony.

The bride, carrying an exquisite bouquet of lilacs of the valley was attended by her sister, Marjorie. The best man was Mr. James Clauson of Chicago, a college friend of the groom. After the ceremony the bride couple received the congratulations of their friends under a beautiful bell of roses. A wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's parents, the newly married couple leaving on the south bound train for Chicago, their future home.

The bride needs no introduction to the public as she is one of our well known and popular young ladies and is highly esteemed by all who know her. Mr. Dawley is an employee of the Mason-Donaldson Lbr. Co. and is in charge of their Chicago office. The many friends of both bride and groom extend to them the most sincere of congratulations.

Mary Leverence and Richard Knox were united in marriage at the German Lutheran parsonage, Saturday evening Feb. 15, Rev. Dejong performed the ceremony. Mr. Knox is employed as a paper maker at the Rhinelander mill and Rhinelander will be the home of the young couple.

AGRICULTURAL COURSE.

700 Attend Short Course at U. of W. Last Week.

The ten day course in agriculture at the University of Wisconsin was attended by about 700 farmers throughout the state. Those who took advantage of this short session went home inspired with enthusiasm over the benefits derived. At the same time, the house keepers' conference was taking place in the domestic science department of the University, where many of the farmers' wives and daughters were in attendance.

REV. HOOKING TO LEAVE RHINELANDER.

Rev. C. L. Hooking has presented his resignation as pastor of the Congregational Church, and the resignation has been accepted to take effect on March 23. Mr. Hooking will return to Methuen, and will supply until September as pastor of a circuit in Grant County, Wisconsin. When the West Wisconsin Annual Conference meets at Ashland, next fall, he will re-enter the Conference and receive a regular appointment. Mrs. Hooking and family will remain in Rhinelander until September, while Mr. Hooking will begin his supply pastorate on Sunday, March 23.

RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, the Divine Power has seen fit to remove from our midst our worthy brother Robert Fickert, be it Resolved, that though we cannot understand the taking away of a man just in the prime of life, yet we must be reconciled that the judgment of the Almighty must be best for us.

Further, be it resolved, that our charter be decorated in mourning for the next 30 days, and a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes, also a copy be sent to the bereaved family.

Oneida Council No. 41 R. R. A.

THOS. DUNN,
CHAS. KERR,
J. E. BONNIK,
Committee.

FUTURE OF NEW NORTH.

Prof. W. A. Henry Makes Prediction of Future of That Country.

"I want to go on record with the declaration that in northern Wisconsin some day, will be scattered peacemaking institutions that will surpass the world in the quality of their products."

So said Professor W. A. Henry Friday at the meeting of farmers in Madison, when he spoke briefly, following the reading of a paper by William Knight of Bayfield county. Mr. Knight had painted in roseate hue and much vividness, the great rich northern country whose lands are selling today for less than ten dollars with a soil the richest in the state.

GOOD DESCRIPTION OF LA FOLLETTE.

Mr. John Maynard Harlan of Chicago voiced what appears to be the sentiment of the American people, particularly those of the west, when he said in his speech in New York on Lincoln day:

"The Republican party must name a candidate of whom its rank and file will know not by what he says after nomination, but by what he has done before nomination, that when he pledges fealty to the platform he is expressing his heart's feeling and purpose, and not merely the studied assent of the candidate looking for votes. Without such a man our platform will have only a possible literary value, if the sentiment of the rank and file of the middle west, as I believe I know it, is at all typical of the country at large."

"Fellow Republicans, the real issue of the impending contest is the supremacy of law. * * * Let us realize, before it is too late, that no choice can be the right choice unless he is a man of whom we shall know, without his saying so, that he will carry out the principles of his party as faithfully as Theodore Roosevelt has done; and unless he be a man who by his public and private record stands out as a militant believer in the proposition that the law is for all men."

Wisconsin Republicans know of but one man who completely answers this definition of a logical successor to Roosevelt. That one man is Senator La Follette.

HOUSEHOLD CARES.

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NOTICE TO ARCHITECTS.

Oneida County, by resolution of the County Board has decided to build a Court House of brick or stone to cost not more than \$100,000. It is to have two stories and basement, and is to contain on first floor six office rooms, and four fire proof vaults not less than 20'x20' inside measure; and on the second floor, one Circuit Court room, one County Board room with fire proof vault in connection, one office with fire proof vault in connection, one Judge's room, two Jury rooms, one Library and one Attorney's room. Basement to contain heating plant (steam) fuel, storage and assembly room for public meetings.

The building committee invites architects to submit sketch plans of such building to the Committee on March 16, 1908 at 2 o'clock P. M. at the Court House in the City of Rhinelander, Wisconsin.

The time for receiving sketch plans for Court House is changed from Monday, March 23 to Monday, March 16.

ARTHUR TAYLOR
Chairman Building Committee

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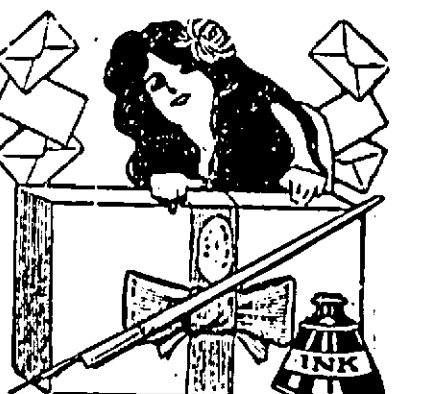
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20 YEARS IN BUSINESS.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, IN COUNTY COURT, ONEIDA COUNTY.
In the matter of the estate of CHAS. H. HEDLEY, deceased. In Probate.
On reading and filing the petition of ALFON H. WATSON, administrator of the estate of CHAS. H. HEDLEY, deceased, representing that he has fully administered said estate and paid all the debts of said deceased, and the expenses of administration, and praying that the account of his administration be examined and allowed, and that the residue of said estate be assigned according to law. It is ordered, That said account be examined and allowed, and that the residue of said estate be assigned according to law. The said court at a regular term thereof to be held at the Court House in said county, on the first Tuesday of March A. D. 1908, being the first day of the month, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, or as soon thereafter as the parties can be heard.
And it is further ordered, That notice thereof be given to all persons interested in said estate by publishing a copy of this order, for three consecutive weeks before the day set for said hearing, in "The New North," a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.
Dated January 29, A. D. 1908.
By the Court, LLOYD J. HILLMAN, County Judge.

THE NEW NORTH.
F. A. LOWELL, Editor and Manager.
NEWS OF A WEEK
TOLD IN BRIEF

MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS GATHERED FROM ALL POINTS OF THE GLOBE.
GIVEN IN ITEMIZED FORM

Notable Happenings Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man—Summary of the Latest Home and Foreign Notes.

By direction of the president, Acting Secretary Oliver ordered a company of Infantry from Fort Gibson, in Alaska, to Fairbanks, in that territory, to preserve order during the mining strike in that section.

Indemnities alleging perjury were returned in New York against former governor of New Jersey, Foster M. Voorhees, and Frank H. Conner, following a grand jury inquiry into the acts of these two men while they were officials of the Bankers' Life Insurance company.

It was stated on what was believed to be good authority that W. B. Hedges, comptroller of the currency, has decided to accept the presidency of the reorganized National Bank of Commerce of Kansas City, Mo., which suspended payment during the late financial stringency.

Mrs. Martha Anderson was found dead, lying on a cot in her room in Janesville, Wis., with her throat cut from ear to ear. Investigations by the police indicate she was murdered.

George H. Newman, who as an officer on the gunboat Gloucester during the Spanish-American war took Admiral Cervera of the Spanish fleet off the burning flagship Infanta Maria Teresa, died in Brookline, Mass.

Newton Edmunds, former governor of Dakota territory and president of the Yankton National bank, died at Yankton of paralysis, aged 88 years.

The 11 landladies in Cincinnati under indictment for organizing a combine to raise prices of food and fuel were fined \$50 and costs. The trust also agreed to dissolve.

Violation of the postal laws by carrying first-class mail matter was charged against the American Express company in a suit filed in the United States district court at Cincinnati by District Attorney McPherson.

Clyde Gant of Belleville, Ill., was convicted of the murder of Henry Dickerman and sentenced to 14 years in the penitentiary.

That the fight of the administration against the Standard Oil company was "only a bluff" was asserted in the house of representatives by Mr. Rainey of Illinois, who spoke at length on his bill providing for the free list petroleum, crude or refined, or its products.

John E. Venson set a new American record by jumping 116 feet on skis at the Duluth tournament.

Sir James Knowles, founder and proprietor of the Nineteenth Century, died in London.

The Mississippi senate passed the house statutory prohibition bill.

It is announced that there is a prospect of Rabbitt, the Moroccan bandit, appearing on the variety stage in London.

The Chicago, Cincinnati & Louisville railroad company was put in the hands of a receiver.

Mrs. Clara C. Hoffman, president of the Missouri W. C. T. U., died at Kansas City after a long illness, aged 55 years.

Arthur Sullivan, a pioneer of southern Montana, died at Dillon, Mont., aged 90.

Judge W. H. Wallace of Kansas City, who has been enforcing the Sunday observance law, announced himself as a candidate for governor of Missouri.

A. H. Cline, a prominent lumberman, was shot and instantly killed by Luke Banner, a wealthy merchant of Elk Park, N. C.

The six automobiles contesting in the New York-to-Paris race started from Times square, Forty-second street and Broadway, New York, cheered by a throng of several thousand people. Three of them arrived at Hudson, N. Y., the first evening.

Lincoln's birthday was celebrated with banquets and orations by distinguished men in many cities.

The Michigan Republican state central committee fixed May 12 as the date and Grand Rapids as the place for the state convention to elect delegates large to the national Republican convention.

While exercising in the Phillips Exeter academy gymnasium, Foster Holmes of Minneapolis, Minn., sustained injuries which were declared to be very dangerous.

Six men were killed by an explosion in a starch factory at Providence, R. I., and the building was wrecked and burned.

Chauncey B. Gelfer, president of the Illinois state board of arbitration during the administration of Gov. Richard Yates, died at his home in Ashley, Ill.

Letters read in the Shell will case at Clinton, Ill., told how a woman, alleged to be the wife of Rev. E. A. Hamilton, bartered her soul and sold into bondage her young daughter for some of the old millionaire's money.

Frank Vlna, treasurer for various Bohemian fraternal organizations, who died several weeks ago, when he was said to be many thousands of dollars short in his accounts, returned to Cleveland, O., and surrendered to the police.

Gov. Davidson appointed Frederick Thwaites and James F. Trotman of Milwaukee as regents of the University of Wisconsin.

Hunted by a dream in which he was accused of crime, Christopher Fugate, a coachman, committed suicide in Minneapolis.

Ruth Miller, the four-year-old daughter of Charles Miller of Kansas City, Kan., died from the effects of eating candy from a box of poisoned bonbons sent through the mail to an older sister.

William Andrews, formerly of Sioux City, Ia., committed suicide in the county hospital at Chicago by stabbing himself with a pair of scissors.

Charles A. Coy, president of the Aeronautique club of Chicago, purchased a 100,000-cubic foot balloon from Morris A. Helman of St. Louis, to be used in the Chicago balloon races July 2 and 4.

State Senator William McKay died at Caro, Mich., after a year's illness following an operation for the removal of a tumor.

Acting Secretary Oliver announced that the war department was at last in position to completely arm the organized militia of the country, 100,000 strong, with the new high-power army rifle.

The net result of the Republican primary held throughout Ohio was: For William H. Taft, four delegates-at-large, and 22 district delegates to the national convention in Chicago, and a list of delegates to the state convention, to be held March 2, which will be unanimously in his favor.

Dr. A. M. Speer of Macon, Ga., was bound over on the charge of violating the prohibition law in issuing prescriptions for alcohol.

Leavenworth, Kan., by a majority approximately 500, adopted a commission form of government patterned after that of Galveston.

Nine men were killed by an explosion in the Standard Explosive works at Vaudreuil, Canada.

The death sentence against Mrs. Violet Gould, who with her husband, Fred Gould, was convicted of the murder of Emma Levin at Monte Carlo last summer, has been commuted to imprisonment for life.

Fred Wigle, an actor, shot and instantly killed his wife, Maud, and then committed suicide at a boarding house in Cleveland, O.

Henry C. Mowry, former president of the Illinois Grain Dealers' association and for more than 40 years a grain dealer in central Illinois, died at his home in Forsyth, Ill.

The announcement that about 1,000,000 robins have been killed by hunters this winter in Louisiana, which is a winter home for these birds, was made by Frank M. Miller, president of the Louisiana Audubon society.

For signing the "Ybor" manifesto, leader of the ancient Rurik dynasty, a seton of the ancient Rurik dynasty, now a professor in Moscow university and a prominent leader of the constitutional democrats, was expelled from the Moscow nobility by a vote of 269 against 92.

The executive committee of the Democratic Editorial association of Illinois issued a call for a meeting of the organization to be held in Springfield Friday, Feb. 21. On that day a state federation of Bryan clubs will be formed.

The board of trustees of the Pontiac (Ill.) reformatory ordered the immediate dismissal of Capt. Alexander J. Reno and Lieut. George Rogers, guards at the institution who were involved in the charges of brutality in the case of William Hamlin, the Quincy boy who died as a result of treatment at the reformatory.

A boarding house occupied by American miners at Santa Rosa, Sonora, Mex., was blown up with dynamite and 15 men who were eating dinner were blown through the roof. It is believed there was a conspiracy to murder all the Americans at Santa Rosa.

The Farmers' and Merchants' bank at Hill Hill, Mo., was dynamited and robbed.

William H. Zinner, for 47 years in the employ of the banking house of Drexel & Co. of Philadelphia, and for many years teller, committed suicide by swallowing carbolic acid.

Copolla, Cadet, the famous French comedian, is insane.

The Russian military of war is preparing plans for the speedy conversion of Vladivostok into a first-class fortress, involving expenditures of about \$6,000,000.

Gen. Bonpland and Baron Vincent Nesi fought a duel with swords at Reggio de Calabria, Italy. Bonpland was seriously wounded.

Dr. John K. Fowler, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, La Crosse, Wis., former moderator of the Presbytery Synod of Wisconsin and one of the most prominent clergymen of his denomination in the northwest, died of peritonitis, aged 55.

BADGERS FOR BRYAN; ATTACK REPUBLICANS

WISCONSIN DEMOCRATIC SESSION INSTRUCTS DELEGATES TO VOTE FOR "COMMONER."

CONVENTION PICKS SIZZLING PLATFORM

Lincoln, Nebraska, Man to Have Support of State at the Denver Session—Is Declared "the Greatest American."

Milwaukee, Feb. 15.—When the Democratic state convention to select delegates-at-large to the national convention at Denver met Friday to resume its deliberations, the committee on permanent organization reported its selection of Evan A. Evans of Baraboo as permanent chairman.

Mr. Evans made a lengthy speech, touching on various national issues, and criticizing the Republican party throughout, charging that party with many abuses and practices. He concluded by paying a glowing tribute to William J. Bryan, in whom, he said, "you see Democracy personified, see Democracy at her best."

At the conclusion of Mr. Evans' speech the committee on resolutions presented its unanimous report as follows: "The Democratic party of the state of Wisconsin, in convention assembled, reaffirms its allegiance to the time-honored principles of Jeffersonian Democracy and declares its undying hostility to the sham and hypocrisy of Republican national administrations."

Charges Appalling Abuses. It charges that the appalling abuses disclosed in recent messages of the president are the direct results of the long-continued reign of the Republican party in national affairs. "The people can no longer doubt the inherent perversity of the system of government fostered and maintained by the Republican party, since the Republican president himself has furnished the evidence against it. Its malfunctions, convicted and unconvicted, are but the shameless products of a system of public plunder and debauchery too long endured by a patient and suffering people."

Bryan Hailed as Greatest. "We regard with just pride and admiration that typical American, that matchless leader who has blazed the way to wholesome public opinion and who has championed the cause of the people. His zeal and untiring energy, his wise and far-seeing statesmanship, stamp him as the greatest living American statesman, and endear him to all those who believe in equal rights to all and special privileges to none."

We, therefore, declare that we are unanimously and unqualifiedly in favor of that great commoner, William Jennings Bryan, as the next Democratic candidate for president of the United States.

Delegates Instructed for Bryan. "We hereby instruct our delegates to the national Democratic convention at Denver to vote for William Jennings Bryan as the Democratic nominee for president, first, last and all the time."

Before the business of selecting the four delegates-at-large was reached the situation regarding the state to be named was still problematical. It was generally conceded, however, that State Chairman H. H. Manson and Congressman Charles H. Weiss would be chosen as two of the delegates.

The report of the committee on resolutions was unanimously adopted by a rising vote. The convention then proceeded to place in nomination candidates for delegates-at-large.

Pick Delegates-at-Large. Delegates-at-large from Wisconsin to the national Democratic convention at Denver were Friday afternoon elected as follows: Charles H. Weiss of the Sixth congressional district, Hayward H. Manson of Waunakee, John A. Hoyt of Milwaukee. The convention then adjourned sine die.

NEW ORLEANS UNIONS HIT. Leaders in Practically Every Branch Indicted by Grand Jury.

New Orleans, Feb. 15.—The United States grand jury here Friday indicted representatives of practically every labor union in New Orleans, charging them with violating the Sherman antitrust law.

Chicago Auditorium Doomed. Chicago, Feb. 15.—It is reasonably certain that the Auditorium theater, which Heinrich Conried once observed was the finest on the American continent, will pass into history after next year. The plans of the directors of the Chicago association are to tear out the theater, which never has been a profitable investment, even when conducted as a bargain counter for vaudeville and musical comedies, and remodel the whole Auditorium either for hotel or office purposes.

Receiver Named for Railway. Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 15.—On representations made by George A. Ferrell & Co., a banking firm of Boston, the Chicago, Cincinnati & Louisville railroad company was placed in the hands of a receiver in the United States circuit court late Thursday afternoon. James P. Goodrich was appointed receiver and after filing a bond of \$50,000 left for Cincinnati to take charge of the property.

NEWS OF WISCONSIN

HAPPENINGS OF INTEREST IN THE VARIOUS TOWNS.

ROBERT FARGO IS NO MORE

Lake Mills Banker and Philanthropist Dies of Pneumonia, Aged 79 Years at His Home in Lake Mills.

Lake Mills.—Robert Fargo, one of the best known citizens of Lake Mills, died of pneumonia at the age of 79 years. He had been a resident of Lake Mills since 1847 and had been an important factor in its development. For many years he was a prominent merchant and later organized the Bank of Lake Mills. He was connected with the Methodist church, the public school and the public library. The funeral was held at his late home.

La Crosse.—Miss Ruth Bleckman, daughter of A. E. Bleckman, a prominent lawyer, whose father died several weeks ago and came here to attend her father's funeral, was taken ill with diphtheria and is dead. Miss Bleckman was a teacher in the high school at Calumet, Mich.

Galesville.—Dr. C. H. Farrand, the leading lumberman of Galesville and an important figure in the business world of western Wisconsin, died, aged 63. The deceased was identified with a number of business enterprises in Galesville, Onalaska and La Crosse. He was a veteran of the civil war.

CHICKEN HAS HUMAN FACE. Fowl with Nose, Chin and Cheeks Is Discovered by Owner.

Preston.—A chicken with a human face is attracting attention in Preston. It was secured by Edward Johnson from a flock in this vicinity. The fowl is a year old and had attracted no attention until it appeared sick, when its owner discovered the wonderful likeness. The hen has a perfectly formed nose. It has also a chin and cheeks.

Fire Chief Heads Probe. Manitowish.—As a result of the loss of the two per cent. tax on fire insurance premiums and the fact that large property interests in Manitowish are insured in outside companies which do not pay taxes here toward maintaining the fire department, an investigation is under way, headed by Fire Chief Kratz.

To Finish Pier Work. Marinette.—Two of the big concrete piers on the new Milwaukee road bridge have been completed and the bridge will be finished soon. The two piers completed are located at either end of the proposed structure, and the third and last is located in the middle of the river midway between the other two.

Farmer in Fearful Accident. Manitowish.—A. Radloff, a farmer living in Seven-Mile creek, was struck by a passenger train on the Milwaukee road, and severely injured. His team was killed. Radloff was carried over a mile to the station on the plot of the engine before he was found by the trainmen.

Becomes Kaukauna Pastor. Kaukauna.—The Rev. Mr. P. J. Lochman, who has been connected with the bishop's house for some time, became pastor of the Holy Cross congregation at Kaukauna. He makes his residence at that place, but continues in the office of vicar general.

Soon to Begin Canal. Marinette.—Capt. Martin of this city, who has taken the contract for digging the Marinette county drainage canal, is at present getting his big dredge in shape for the work and will soon start his operations at the Peshigo end and work northwest.

Cadetship Is Open. Neillville.—Pleaded Hammel, a Porto Rican adopted by Maj. J. W. Hammel of this city, has received notice that the West Point cadetship from this district is open to him. He was first alternate in the examination two months ago.

Good Record by Hospital. Eau Claire.—Over 1,600 patients received treatment at the Sacred Heart hospital last year, and over 700 operations were performed. Out of all this number only 50 died.

Liquor Price Advances. Kewaunee.—Brewers of the city have inaugurated an advance in the price of beer. The increase is 40 cents on keg beer and 20 cents on case beer.

O'Neill in Hastings' Place. Neillville.—Judge James O'Neill held court at Green Bay for Judge Hastings.

News of Wisconsin

Interesting Happenings in the Various Cities and Towns of the State.

PAY BILLS AND HANGS. Marathon County Farmer's Body Found by Daughter.

Cassel.—William Kinklemann of the town of Cassel committed suicide the other day by hanging in a barn. His body was found by his eight-year-old daughter Ida. Dependency over his wife's illness is thought to be the cause. His illness ended his life. Kinklemann went to Edgar and settled all his accounts. Then he returned to Cassel and killed himself.

LEFT RHINELANDER IN 1903. Edward McKelvey, Dead at St. Paul, Conducted Dairy in Wisconsin.

Rhineland.—Edward McKelvey, the Rhineland man who died under suspicious circumstances at St. Paul, just recently, conducted a dairy here five years ago. He was married, but left about four years ago after he and his wife had separated, nothing having been heard of him until notice of his death was printed in papers of the northern Minnesota city.

W. C. T. U. WORKER CONVICTED. Tried on Charge of Obtaining Liquor for Minors.

Washburn.—L. T. Stratton, a detective who has been working for the Woman's Christian Temperance union of Iron River, in gathering evidence against saloon men, has been convicted on a charge of obtaining liquor for minors. This is the second case in which the detective has been convicted, and he has appealed to the circuit court. The cases will come up in May.

To Be Declared Dead. Appleton.—Although a coroner's jury four years ago declared that Henry Hartman of Osborn had been murdered, he will be declared legally dead in the Outagamie county court in the near future. An action has just been brought to have the estate probated. Hartman, a pioneer of the town of Osborn, left his home on August 10, 1902, to pick berries. He took his gun with him, and that was the last seen of him alive.

Birth Rate Falls Off. Chippewa Falls.—In an address to the congregation of Notre Dame church Father Park stated that the number of baptisms during 1907 was 87, a decided falling off of the number in other years, and a strange occurrence in a congregation of 600 families. Father Park intimated that the "mixed marriage" was responsible.

Lost in the Woods. Arnold.—German Meyer, Andrew Loken, Thorwald Skines and Sigurd Skines were lost for two days and nights in the woods near Arnold during the cold spell. They started for a camp six miles distant, but took a wrong direction. They finally succeeded in finding the camp by the help of a homesteader.

Raises Matrimonial Ban. Chippewa Falls.—Jenkins Bros., a dry goods firm, has raised the matrimonial ban placed on women clerks a year ago. The rule was that clerks must remain in their employ for one year before contemplating marriage, and must give ample notice if about to launch upon a matrimonial venture.

Fine New Club for Racine. Racine.—Racine may have an up-to-date clubhouse, to be known as the Commercial club. Plans are now on foot to bring about the amalgamation of several of the strongest clubs in the city, including the Racine Business Men's association, B. P. O. Elks, Racine club and Six O'clock club.

Find Sign of Spring. Menasha.—A meadow lack, alive and as far north as Menasha, was the unusual discovery made at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Palmer, when one of the children found it in a weakened condition. The bird died as a result of exposure.

Days in Police Custody. Portage.—Leo King, John Kullmann and Earl Hein left their homes in Grand Rapids without telling their parents where they were going. They wound up in the Portage police station.

Much Property Changes Hands. Appleton.—Reports of real estate transactions in 1907 shows that local property worth \$127,963 changed hands.

Suffocated in Snow Bank. Amherst.—August Patoka, aged 42 years, was found dead near his home near Amherst Junction, where his horse had crowded him into a deep snow bank and he had suffocated. He leaves a wife and 14 children.

Plan New Feature. La Crosse.—For the purpose of considering the plan to construct a county agricultural and manual training school on the fair grounds at West Salem, a meeting of the special county board committee was held.

WOES OF THE QUERY EDITOR.

Little Wonder the Poor Man is Gray Before His Time.

The "Answers to Correspondents" man, feverishly rumpling the hair that his duties had too soon made gray, tossed a letter on the table.

"An ex-widow of 30," he groaned, "says she loves her second husband better than her first. She wants to know if this is wicked or un-Christian."

"He sneered and ripped open another letter. Then he said: "A Methodist minister has too large a nose. What is he to do? What, indeed?"

"He read a third letter. "Here's a girl," he said, "who wants to know in what winter resort hotel she will meet the largest number of eligible bachelors."

"Fiddle!" he went on, "asks me the best way to avoid the effects of heavy drinking. I'll tell him, I suppose, to avoid heavy drinking."

"Is it possible," Charles inquired, "to tell when a black man blushes?" "So the questions go, ten or twelve of them a day. Is it any wonder I am gray before my time?"

THE TIME TEST. That Is What Proves True Merit.

Doan's Kidney Pills bring the quick relief from backache and kidney troubles. Is that relief lasting? Let Mrs. James M. Long, of 113 Augusta St., Staunton, Va., tell you. On January 31st, 1907, Mrs. Long wrote: "Doan's Kidney Pills have cured me" (of pain in the back, urinary troubles, bearing down sensations, etc.).

On June 20th, 1907, four and one-half years later, she said: "I haven't had kidney trouble since. I repeat my testimony."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

HIS ONLY OPPORTUNITY.

"Does your wife talk in her sleep, major?" "No, I talk in her sleep—it's the only chance I get."

SHE COULD NOT WALK For Months—Burning Humor on Ankles—Ointment Brought Sleep—Eczema Yielded to Cuticura.

"I had eczema for over two years. I had two physicians, but they only gave me relief for a short time and I cannot enumerate the ointments and lotions I used to no purpose. My ankles were one mass of sores. The itching and burning were so intense that I could not sleep. I could not walk for nearly four months. One day my husband and I had better try the Cuticura Remedies. After using them three times I had the best night's rest in months unless I took an opiate. I used one set of Cuticura Soap, Ointment, and Pills, and my ankles healed in a short time. It is now a year since I used Cuticura, and there has been no return of the eczema. Mrs. David Brown, Locke, Ark., May 18 and July 13, 1907."

Women Not in Demand. Mr. Arnold Shanklin, just returned from Panama, says that men who go to Panama seem to think a wife one of the first necessities, but generally they are provided with sweethearts, who either come to them properly chaperoned or they go back to the states for them. The government builds nice six-room houses for the married men, and there is a very pleasant social set being formed. He did not seem to agree with Miss Helen Varick, however, that old maids are the best of the lot, for the inference being that the right sort of men are either married or about to be when they go to Panama.

Millions in Oats and Barley. Nothing will pay you better for 1908 than to sow a plenty of high yielding oats and barley with oats at \$4 to \$6 a bu. and barley at \$3 to \$4 a bu. One acre of oats will yield you 40 to 50 bu. per acre more than any other variety in 1907 would pay you immensely. See the Silver King Barley which raised itself the biggest yielder at the Wisconsin Agricultural Station during 1907 if you had planted 50 acres would have given you in 1907 just \$25,000 on 50 acres. It is an enormous yielder. JUST SEND THIS NOTICE AND 10c to the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., and we will mail you the only original seed catalog published in America with samples of Emperor William Oats, Silver King Barley, Billion Dollar Grass which produces 12 tons per acre. Send the dry and hot luxuriant, etc., etc., and if you send I will add a package of new farm seeds never before seen by you.

Gleams Outlook. Long Winded Orator (lowering his voice to an impressive whisper)—"Have you ever, O my friends, allowed yourselves to wonder where you will be and what you will be doing when another century shall have rolled around?"

Took Two to Beat Her. Timkins—Your wife seems to be quite a fluent talker. Simkins—You bet she is. I never knew her to be outtalked but once. Timkins—Indeed! Simkins—Yes; and then it took two other women to do it.

"WHAT DID I DO WITH MY CHILDREN?"



Brookton, Mass.—"I opened my cloak and took the children under it, one on each side. From that time till I woke up everything is a blank."

Twenty-five trembling words, spoken by a disheveled, shivering woman, yet behind them lies the tragedy of a wrecked home, the remarkable disappearance of two human beings as if the ground had opened to swallow them, and a mystery which has baffled the keenest detective minds of New England.

A mother calling at the schoolhouse door for her boy and girl, three figures disappearing into the woods, a great storm cloak flung open to shelter two small forms—a blank of 24 hours, and then a disheveled, quivering mother-form being hurried to an insane asylum.

What happened during that period of mental death?

And where are the children?

On Monday, December 2, soon after nine o'clock, Mrs. Mary R. C. Ball, wife of John Ball, left her home at 26 Holbrook avenue, and walked hurriedly to the Whitnash school, where her children were engaged in their studies. Mary Grace Ball, aged nine, and Thomas Ball, aged seven, were excused by their teachers at the request of their mother, who was apparently quite composed and natural in her bearing. They put on their warm coats and jackets and mittens and trotted down the schoolyard path, one on either side of the tall, cloaked figure.

Children Went Joyfully.

Joyous anticipations were aroused in their childish minds. Christmas was at hand. Perhaps they were going shopping! Perhaps they were going to the woods to gather evergreens! As to where they really went, directly from the schoolhouse, opinions differ. This may have been because Brookton had something else to think about during the next few hours. The Ball home on Holbrook avenue was in flames. There was a fire to be put out and to be discussed, and it was so unfortunate that it happened while Mrs. Ball was away shopping!

However, since the tragedy has become the sole topic of conversation in the little manufacturing city of Brookton, one man recalls that he saw the mother and her children together about 2:30 o'clock that afternoon. Two children, who knew the Ball family well, claim to have seen the mother without the children on Brookton street at 1:30 of that eventful Monday afternoon.

But the one tangible piece of evidence is that Mrs. Ball, unaccompanied by her children, stopped at a lunch cart for a mouthful of food at Avon, a little town just north of Brookton, on Tuesday evening, December 3. Later that night she was found by a nearby farmer, A. L. Plute, in his barn and was ordered away. The children were not with her. Plute did not know who she was and took her for some poor, drunken wretch.

Instinct Led Woman Home.

Two nights later, on Thursday, December 5, Mrs. Ball staggered into the home of Mrs. Baxter, who lived directly opposite the Ball home in Brookton. The Baxters were terrified by the figure which stumbled across

expected with such treasure trove at hand.

So the Guatemala's crew was set to work unloading as much of the cargo as they cared to carry away with them, the brandy and wine going into the ship's stores, and breadcloth and praying rugs being divided up among officers and crew in proportion to their rank. Going up the west coast the ship's rigging was draped in black broadcloth when the sun shone and the decks and all amny assets were covered with praying rugs that both of these assorted articles might dry out thoroughly, for the ship had gotten thoroughly soaked in the hold of the wrecked ship. When the Guatemala reached the cities she stopped at there was a "bargain day" sale held of the goods and the average price received for the broadcloth was eight dollars a yard, while the rugs sold from \$20 to \$30 each. There was "prize money" to burn on that ship through the rest of the voyage.

What you don't owe won't bother you.

developed a curious homicidal mania, brought on by excessive grief. But as time cured the wound her mental equilibrium was restored, and she returned to her home, where apparently she was devoted to the two remaining children.

Shock May Restore Reason.

Her present condition in nowise resembles her former unfortunate state. Then she was violent and noisy. Now her mind is simply a blank. And Dr. Goss, superintendent of the asylum, who has been studying her case, believes that unless her brain receives some terrible shock her memory will never be restored. Her recollections of what happened between the time she took her children under the shelter of her cloak and reason resumed its way in a ward of the asylum will be aroused only by a shock as great as the one which robbed her of reason.

And what shock was that?

This is the question which is baffling physicians, detectives and relatives of the unhappy family.

Did Mrs. Ball accidentally set her home on fire, and then, in a spasm of terror, race away with her children from the results of her carelessness?

And if so, at what psychological moment was her reason destroyed—at sight of the flames, or when she found herself alone in the woods with her children?

Or did she feel the approaching return of the dreaded malady, and, fearing for the future of her children without her care and oversight, spirit them away? And, if so, where did she leave them?

May Have Sent Children Away.

Some few Brooktonites believe that because the air had been full of rumors regarding unhappiness in the Ball home she really did arrange to have some one come with a red auto mobile and take her children where they might be cared for.

But such reasoning does not satisfy the majority of those who have worked on the case. The majority believe that the woman, in horror at the malady which was slowly creeping upon her, took her children to some lonely spot and killed them, then with the cunning of the madwoman, hid them beyond all finding. Perhaps the torn hands came from digging in the half-frozen ground that she might hide the silent little forms.

Perhaps the scratches on her throat came not from her own fingers, but from the tiny hands fighting for their

lives. And who shall say at what instant reason was dethroned, or what act of her own or another swept like a sharp knife through the tottering brain and left it a blank?

Perhaps Mrs. Ball knows to-day where the children are, and, with demagogue cunning, refuses to let the father claim his own flesh and blood. Perhaps, if she would, she could lead the searching parties to the very spot where the silent forms are buried. Perhaps her mind was never a blank. But history, modern and otherwise, gives her the benefit of the doubt.

Resembles Famous Stories.

Who does not recall Julian Hawthorne's great story, "Archibald MacLean's" whose hero, from brain shock, reverted every seven years to the mental state of seven years before, recalling in minutest detail everything that had happened when this peculiar psychological and mental par-



father of the young man, was keeper of North river light station, and his uncle, Fabius Evans Simpson, is now in charge of the exhibit of the light-house board at the Jamestown exposition. Another uncle, A. J. Simpson, is keeper of Southwest Point light, all in North Carolina. Young Simpson says he will stick to the business, believing he has inherited an ambition for the service in which his family has figured for many years.

He could not furnish a full length picture of himself. He said he tried to get a photographer in North Carolina to take all of him, but the artist said he could only do it in sections, and then paste them together, which, he thought, would give an idea of his client's towering figure. To do so the photographer wanted to charge extra for the second section, and the picture was not taken.

A light heart lives long—Shakespeare.

ACTING SHERIFF IS YOUTHFUL.

Twelve-Year-Old Boy of Vermont Performs Father's Duties.

Although only 12 years of age, Bradford Godfrey of this town performs the duty of a county sheriff in place of his father, who is now ill, says the Bennington (Vt.) correspondent of the Boston Post.

While not the legal sheriff, Godfrey performs the duties of that office with all the regularity of his father. So severe were the duties of the lad that he, too, for the last few days has been confined to his home.

During the Mahan murder trial now in progress the boy has taken care of the courtroom and met all the requirements of the office of sheriff. He sits behind the desk usually occupied by the sheriff and when the court opens taps for order.

With his small arms he rings the bell of the court at the beginning of each session and during the recesses.

Whenever there is a person to be transferred from the courtroom to the

cell adjoining, young Godfrey can always be found walking beside the prisoner, together with the deputy sheriffs.

He is known to everybody about the courthouse as "Young Sheriff Godfrey." This title does not affect the lad, who looks upon his office as one of honor.

Whenever the senior Sheriff Godfrey desired to take a day off or to go visiting he could with all safety leave his duties in the care of his young son and his wife.

When interviewed by a reporter in the courtroom during the trial of the Mahan case the young sheriff said: "While I like to do what my father does it is my desire to become a lawyer. I want to be a great lawyer and try cases after I get through high school and I am studying very hard for that. I will go to college."

"Work about the courthouse is hard sometimes, but I like it. It is great to make the people stand up and sit down when the court comes in. The people don't like very well to have a kid like me tell them what to do."

State Capital Notes

Weekly Budget Gathered by Our Special Correspondent at Madison.

Madison.—In making the first annual report of his department, filed with the governor, State Fire Marshal T. M. Purcell recommends that the legislature pass a law limiting the amount of fire insurance that can be written on buildings and thus remove one of the chief temptations to incendiarism. The marshal believes that allowing an agent to write excessive insurance on buildings is placing a premium on criminal acts.

The report covers the period from August 4, 1907, to January 1, 1908. During that time the total number of fires in the state was 790, with a total property loss of \$2,803,748. The largest loss sustained in any one county was in Douglas, owing to the large elevator fire, the amount being \$1,588,824. The next largest was in Milwaukee county where the loss was \$284,760.

The largest number of buildings affected in any one class was dwellings, with 311. The next largest number was barns, with 186 affected. In connection with the loss on dwellings the report calls attention to the fact that the largest number of fires were caused by defective heating apparatus, and property owners are urged to use care in looking after the condition of flues.

In the case of barns it is shown that out of the 186 fires 92 were caused by lightning. An inquiry to the insurance companies shows almost a unanimous sentiment in favor of the lightning rod.

Attention is called to the fact that legislation is pending in several states against the manufacture and sale of the "snip" match, and in favor of the safety match. The report shows that there have been 215 orders issued by the department directing the correction of dangerous conditions. There have been 123 cases investigated by the department, two people have been sent to the state reformatory, two to state asylums, and 12 bound over to the circuit court.

The report shows that the total receipts of the marshal's department for the five months in question was \$18,464.83, and the total disbursements \$7,428.18, leaving a balance of \$11,036.65. The receipts come principally from the fire insurance companies, which are required to pay a certain percentage of their premiums in the state to maintain the department.

Soo Road Beats State.

Judge E. Ray Stevens of the circuit court overruled a motion by the state to quash a writ of mandamus secured by the Soo Railroad company to compel the railroad commission to grant it authority to issue \$4,000,000 of additional stock. The commission refused to grant the desired authority because the railroad had not filed an amendment to its articles of incorporation showing the action of the stockholders in deciding to issue the new stock. The fee for filing such an amendment would be \$21,000. Judge Stevens holds that a railroad company is not required to file an amendment showing its authority to issue additional stock. This law, the court says, applies only to other corporations. The state will appeal to the supreme court. The ruling of the lower court is interesting in view of the fact that the Chicago & Northwestern recently paid a fee of \$110,000 and the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul one of \$175,020 for filing amendments to their articles of incorporation. If the supreme court declares that the law does not require railroads to pay such fees these two companies will have to appeal to the legislature to get their money back, as they did not pay under protest. Other railroad companies have also paid such fees, and will reclaim them if the decision of the lower court is upheld.

Appoints New Regents.

Gov. Davidson appointed Frederick C. Thwaites and James F. Trotter of Milwaukee as members of the state board of university regents to succeed W. J. McElroy and Arthur J. Puls of the same city. The appointments are for three years. Mr. Thwaites succeeds Mr. McElroy as a member from the Fourth congressional district and Mr. Trotter succeeds Mr. Puls as a member from the Fifth congressional district. Mr. Trotman is an alumnus of the university, having graduated from the academic department in 1884 and from the college of law in 1886. Gov. Davidson several days ago reappointed Lucius C. Hanks of Madison, representing the Second district, and Dr. Evans of La Crosse, representing the Seventh district.

Superior Bridge Authorized.

The Jenkins bill, authorizing the construction of a bridge across the St. Louis river between Superior and Duluth at a point near the proposed steel plant, passed the senate. It was reported from the commerce committee by Senator Martin and Senator La Follette asked immediate consideration. The committee reported an amendment, which was agreed to, providing that use of the bridge shall be forever free to all pedestrians and vehicles. The house agreed to the senate amendment.

Inspection Is Cry of Session.

Inspection and more inspection seemed to be the cry of the Wisconsin State Butter Makers' association at a session at the Plankinton house in Milwaukee, for whatever topic was on the program, the lively discussion which would arise brought out the intelligent and earnest belief of the creamery workers that Wisconsin needed even a higher standard of supervision in the care of its dairy products from the cows and the stables to the finished product.

Will Be Van Hise's Guests.

President Van Hise of the University of Wisconsin has invited the officers of the Southern Wisconsin Teachers' association to hold their annual session at the university March 12 and 14. The invitation has been accepted and an attendance of 1,000 to 1,200 is predicted. Among those who will speak are: S. H. G. Hill, Milwaukee; Dr. Charles McElroy, Francis Blair, superintendent of public instruction for Illinois, and William Hawley Smith.

Experiments with Alfalfa.

More than 500 former short-course students at the University of Wisconsin and members of the Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment association attended the seventh annual meeting of the association, which was held at the university agricultural hall. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—A. L. Stone, Madison.

Vice President—H. A. Malt, Port Atkinson.

Secretary—Prof. R. A. Moore, Madison.

Treasurer—J. N. Bohl, Fond du Lac.

Turns Up After Fourteen Years

MAN BELIEVED TO HAVE BEEN MURDERED GREETED BY OLD FRIENDS.

MODERN ENOCH ARDEN TALE

Body Thought to Have Been His Had Been Identified and Buried by Relatives—Alleged Slayer Proves Alibi.

Fairfax, Mo.—When Jacob A. Funk alighted from a train at Skidmore, Nodaway county, and greeted was recognized by his old friends he was as one who arose from the dead, and could also have enacted the part of Enoch Arden, for the "Philly Ray" and his wife still reside in the town. He could even have done something more startling than this. He could have been taken to the cemetery and been shown the grave in which his body was supposed to have been laid more than a dozen years ago. He did not do this, but left on the first train for Maryville, where he suddenly appeared before his sister, Mrs. D. S. Holmes, who felt that she was confronted by one from another world.

The story that forms the basis of these surprises and complications is a somewhat peculiar one, dating back 14 years. In the spring of 1894 Jacob A. Funk, 24 years old, and Frank Ridge, who was a few years younger, were farming on shares near Skidmore. Early in April Funk left home in a rickety road cart, ostensibly for the purpose of buying seed potatoes. He did not return, and after many days his friends decided that he had left the country, or that he had been killed. A search revealed nothing, and in August Ridge disposed of his share of the crop to the mother of the missing man and went to Kansas City.

More than a year passed, and early in December, 1895, fragments of a human body were found hanging to a tree in a ravine in Atchison county, about six miles west of Skidmore. Other bones, an old valve and some pieces of clothing were found on the ground nearby. Attention was at once directed to the disappearance of Funk, and some of his relatives were sure that the body was his. His aged father said that he could recognize

the skull by reason of the fact that one cheek bone was higher than the other.

The suspicion was aroused that Jacob Funk had been murdered, and the question of finding the murderer came up. Suspicion pointed to Ridge, the partner and shorty Shackleford, of Atchison county, went to Kansas City and placed him under arrest. The warrant was issued by Justice Prand, of the township in which the skeleton was found, but Ridge's attorney took a change of venue and the case was sent to Fairfax. Here, December 26, 1895, the preliminary examination was had before Justice Blewitt and Justice Wilson. More than 60 witnesses had been summoned, but only 13 were examined.

Ridge proved that he had spent the night previous to Funk's disappearance at Qultman and came back to Skidmore on a train that arrived shortly after Funk had started. As he worked all that day it was shown to have been impossible that he could have committed the deed.

A year or two after this Mrs. Funk was married to James Gibbs of Skidmore and they still reside at that place. As indicated by the testimony brought out in the trial of Ridge, some mystery seems to be connected with Funk. Since his return he talks freely, only he refuses to explain why he left "a cause for it." He also refuses to tell where he has been and what he has been doing. It is some way came out that he had been living in Iowa for the last six years, and it is apparent that he has been prosperous. His reticence extends not only to his warmest friends, but to his nearest relatives.

The fact being fully established by his return that the body found hanging in Atchison county was not that of Funk, the question as to who it was who was hanged or who committed suicide, is being asked.

Corpses Turns to Stone.

Shippensburg, Pa.—At the disinterment of the body of Mrs. Sarah Geist at the old Menomonee graveyard, Ringgold, Mason and Dixon line, the body was found to be petrified and so heavy that it was lifted from the grave with much difficulty. There were only a few traces of the coffin, but the entire body—face, hands and feet—was perfectly preserved. Even the folds of the garments were hardened so that they remained as when the body was buried, 17 years ago. The grave is in low ground, close to a limestone spring, the water from which saturated the soil and converted the body into stone.

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An answer to the statement made
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DISPLAY ADVERTISEMENTS.—For a contract
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In addition to the above, all composition
in display ads in excess of three minutes per
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READING NOTICES.

Reading Notices will be charged at ten
cents per line for the first insertion and five
cents per line for each subsequent insertion.

All Notices will be charged at regular
rates except notices of church services.

Paid entertainments for Churches will be
charged at half rates.

John Anderson changes his place
of residence from the second ward to
rooms over his store in the fourth
ward. This leaves a vacancy in the
council from the second ward.

The democratic state convention at
Milwaukee last week was a mass-
meeting for Wm. Jennings Bryan for
candidate for president. If there is
one man above all others of his party
who has a prominent position before
the people, it is Mr. Bryan.

The majority contest of the city
begins to warm up. Papers have
been circulated in the various wards
for Chris. Roepke; we have not
learned that Mr. Stapleton's papers
are yet out. Carl Krueger and Sher-
iff Dolan have been circulating papers
for Mr. Anderle, the present mayor,
who has already served three terms.
We understand the mayor and his
friends are putting up an aldermanic
candidate in all the wards favorable
to the mayor's administration.

GAS PLANT MACHINERY INSTALLED

Mr. Pettigrew of the firm of War-
ren & Pettigrew was in the city the
first of the week to make arrange-
ments for installing the machinery
and completing the contract for the
new Gas Plant. He left Messrs.
Roberts and Warford in charge of the
work. All other work will be com-
pleted on or before June 1st so that
the management can begin street
operations as soon as the frost leaves
the ground.

Builds up waste tissue, promotes ap-
petite, improves digestion, induces
refreshing sleep, giving renewed
strength and health. That's what
Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will
do. See Tea or Tablets.
J. J. Reardon.

Electric Cooking.

Electric cooking may be the rule in
the modern kitchen should the experi-
ments now being made prove of prac-
tical value. A new type of electric
furnace has been invented and so im-
proved that it can now be used for
cooking. The heat can be regulated
to within less than one degree and
maintained indefinitely.

Plenty Left.

Little Mabel, aged five, who was vis-
iting her aunt in the country, had de-
veloped a great fondness for milk.
One day, having drunk as much as her
aunt thought good for her, when told
that she could not have any more, she
said: "I don't see why. There's two
whole cowfolds out in the barn."

Peculiar Chinese Currency.

Each province in China, also each
city and many smaller towns, have a
different tael of value, as the tael is
supposed to be an ounce (Chinese) of
silver, but there is no uniformity as to
how many grains constitute this
ounce, and the fineness of the silver
also varies at each point.

True Humanity.

He who is truly humane considers
every human being as interesting and
important, and, without waiting to
criticize each individual specimen,
says in advance to all alike the trib-
ute of good wishes and sympathy.—
Fitzgerald.

The Secret of Poetry.

After all, if a fellow is to write po-
etry, the secret is to get in touch with
humanity, know what the people are
thinking about; retire to the very
deepest sources of life—back, back,
till there is no farther point to retire
to.—The Century.

Why Borrow Trouble?

As you and everyone else enjoy a
good dinner without thought of the
poor cooking of the morrow, why can
you not take the joys of the present
with zest, and not embitter them with
borrowed troubles of a possible fu-
ture.—Exchange.

CHURCH NEWS.

Adventist.

The Seventh Day Adventists hold their
regular service every Sabbath, (Saturday)
p. m. at 8 o'clock at the Scandinavian Hall.
Sabbath School at 2 o'clock.
ANNA M. JENSEN, Bible Worker

First Baptist.

10:30 Sunday morning worship.
11:45 Sunday School and Bible Classes.
6:30 Baptist Young People's Union.
7:30 Evening Gospel Service.
7:30 Thursday evening prayer meeting.
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THOMAS W. GALES, Pastor,
Telephone 280, 200 N. Stevens Street.

First Congregational.

10:30, Morning Worship.
11:45, Bible School.
6:30, Christian Endeavor.
7:30, Evening Service.
CHARLES L. HOCKING, Pastor.
Residence 4 N. Omaha Ave.

Methodist.

10:30, Morning Service.
12:00, Sunday School.
6:30, Epworth League.
7:30, Evening Service.
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GREATEST SHOE SALE OF THE SEASON


Here Is Where You Will Find a Bargain

In order to reduce our stock and get ready for our Spring Shoes we offer during the next 15 days greatest values in shoes ever offered before. See our prices below and that will convince you. Next

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21

OUR GREAT SALE COMMENCES and it lasts only 15 days. The ones who come first will get the best plums in the pudding. Bring your neighbors and come early. Don't forget the sale starts Friday, February 21. EVERY DAY A BARGAIN DAY.

HERE ARE THE PRICES:

Men's Hanan, Patent Colt 5.00 and 6.00, now 4.50		Men's heavy shoes calf leathers 4.00 Goodyear welt at..... 3.15 3.50 Goodyear welt at..... 2.78 3.00 Goodyear welt at..... 2.15	Ladies' Fine Hanan Shoes patent and gun metal 5.00 now 3.98		LADIES' ONE BUCKLE ARCTICS Regular 1.15 kind go at..... 87c
Men's Hanan Gun Metal double sole 6.00, 5.50 now 4.68 These shoes are special values, large shoe stores in cities sell them at 7.00 per pair.		Men's Fine Shoes all styles all leathers 4.00 patent or calf now 3.10 Men's Hanan oxfords, patent and calf now 3.78	Ladies' Hanan oxfords, patent and gun metal 4.50 value at 3.48		BOYS' SHOES We carry the largest assortment of BOYS' SHOES in the city. 2.00 shoes at..... 1.68 1.75 shoes at..... 1.35 1.50 shoes at..... 1.15 Gilt Edge Shoe Polish, 25c kind at 16c a bottle.
Men's 3.50 Fine Shoes all leathers all styles 2.75 Crawford and Racine Brands.		MEN'S FELT SHOES 3.00 high top fur lining..... 1.98 2.75 high top..... 1.78 2.50 high top..... 1.58 2.00 medium height..... 1.10 Buy a pair now and keep warm.	Ladies' fine shoes 3.50 3.25 and 3.00 val- ues now 2.48		Men's Insoles, sheep skin 25c kind at 15c Men's Felt Insoles 20c kind at 12c
MEN'S TOP RUBBERS. 10 inch top always sold at 3.00 a pair..... 2.68 All sizes.		Men's 8 inch top Gold Seal rubbers 2.75 now..... 2.48	WOMEN'S FELT SHOES. 2.00 values..... 1.15 1.85 values..... 1.10		LADIES' FELT SLIPPERS Fur trimmings, 2.00 and 1.75 values..... 1.15 Ladies' fine felt slippers for house wear, 1.00 value..... 68c

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SOUTH BOUND DEPART.
No. 14—5:45 a. m. Daily, except Sunday
No. 2—10:48 a. m. Daily, except Sunday
No. 4—11:22 p. m. Daily, except Sunday
No. 11—1:22 p. m. Daily, except Sunday
No. 13—3:45 p. m. Daily, except Sunday
No. 15—5:45 p. m. Daily, except Sunday
NORTH BOUND ARRIVE.
No. 5—11:22 p. m. Daily, except Sunday
No. 17—1:22 p. m. Daily, except Sunday
No. 19—3:45 p. m. Daily, except Sunday
No. 21—5:45 p. m. Daily, except Sunday
No. 23—7:45 p. m. Daily, except Sunday
No. 25—9:45 p. m. Daily, except Sunday
C. W. SCOTT, AGENT.

Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie R'y
Train No. 85, west bound, leave 1:30 a. m.
Train No. 84, east bound, leave 8:15 p. m.
Train No. 7, west bound, leave 2:45 a. m.
Train No. 8, east bound, leave 2:45 a. m.
A way freight leaving Rhinelander going
west at 2:00 a. m. and way freight No.
23, from Gladstone to Rhinelander, ar-
rives at 2:00 a. m. and way freight No.
24, from Rhinelander to Gladstone, ar-
rives at 2:00 a. m. Sunday.
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R. F. TOMPKINS, Agent



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ORDINANCE.
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viction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than fifty dollars.

Section 8. No person keeping a saloon or tavern and having license to sell or intoxicating liquors within the city of Rhineland shall permit or allow any public or private dance to be given or to take place on the same floor of the premises owned or controlled by him and that is in any way connected with the premises wherein he is licensed to sell intoxicating liquors. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than one dollar nor more than twenty dollars.

Section 9. No brewer or beer agent shall sell or deliver any beer or intoxicating liquor of any kind, either at wholesale or retail, to any person in the city of Rhineland between the hours of eleven thirty o'clock Saturday night of each week and five o'clock on the succeeding Monday morning. Any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than fifty dollars.

CHAPTER XV.

RELATING TO THE LICENSING OF SHOWS, CONCERTS, PAWN SHOPS, STREET VENDERS, ETC.

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to do or carry on the business of any pawn shop or shooting gallery, or to exhibit to the public view any animal or animals, wax or other figures, paintings, feats of circus riding, rope or wire walking, dancing, sleight of hand performance, circus, menagerie, or any theatrical or musical entertainment, or any sparring exhibition, or any show or exhibition whatsoever, or any game of chance, trick or device with rings, canes, knives, picture racks or other articles within the city of Rhineland, or without first having obtained a license therefor as provided in this chapter.

Section 2. The license fee and the amount to be paid therefor under this chapter is hereby fixed and established as follows: For exhibiting a circus or menagerie not less than fifty nor more than one hundred dollars for each day, and the sum of five dollars for each show, exhibition or performance at a place other than a separate admission fee is charged or may be required; for all other shows and exhibitions such as exhibitions of animals, wax or other figures painting, feats of circus riding, rope or wire walking, dancing, sparring exhibitions, theatrical or musical entertainments, and for all exhibitions, shows, performances and amusements, not herein enumerated, at least three nor more than twenty-five dollars for each day; for the carrying on, conducting or maintaining of any game of chance, trick, device or game with rings, canes, knives, picture racks, dolls, balls or with any other article or thing whether herein enumerated or not, a sum not less than one nor more than five dollars for each day. The amount to be charged for the license in all the cases aforesaid to be fixed, within said limits, by the mayor in his discretion. The license fee for regularly established theaters and opera houses shall be ten dollars per year, to be paid in advance on the first day of July in each year, and all entertainments except sparring and boxing exhibitions, when given in a theatre or opera house so licensed shall be exempt from the license fee specified in this section.

Section 3. The words "musical entertainment" and "show or exhibition" mentioned in this chapter shall be so construed as to include and mean any singing, music, dancing or any exhibition of any kind or nature tending to attract or draw the attention of the public, and maintained, exhibited or carried on in any public place or saloon, whether or not any price is demanded for admission to such place.

Section 4. No musical instrument, musical entertainment, singing or dancing, show or exhibition shall be played, carried on, showed or exhibited in any saloon or other place where intoxicating liquors are sold or kept for sale in the city of Rhineland.

Section 5. No person shall place or erect any carriage, stand, booth, stall or any device of any nature on any sidewalk, street, alley or public or private grounds in the city of Rhineland, for the purpose of selling or exposing for sale, barter or exchange any goods, notions, toys, canes, knives, patent or other medicines, or any article or thing, what so ever, whether the same be sold or offered for sale in the regular course of trade, or by crying the same aloud, or by permitting bystanders or other persons to try, compete for or earn the same by some feat of skill, trick or chance, without first obtaining a license therefor from said city. Such license shall specify the location where such carriage, stand, booth, stall or other device shall be placed or erected, and where such business shall be carried on, and may be granted or refused by the mayor in his discretion. The fee for such license shall be not less than one nor more than twenty-five dollars for each day, as fixed by the mayor in his discretion.

Nothing in this chapter contained shall be construed as prohibiting farmers, produce raisers or fishermen from selling their own produce or fish from store to store or from house to house without a license, so long as they do not stop or erect the same for sale along in the streets or public places in said city, do not erect stands or booths for the sale of the same in any street, alley or public place in said city.

Section 6. No street musician or person with a hand organ or other musical instrument shall play upon the streets, alleys, avenues or public grounds of the city of Rhineland, without first having obtained a license therefor. The fee for such license shall be not less than two dollars nor more than ten dollars per day, in the discretion of the mayor. Nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to prohibit, without a license, the playing of brass or martial bands in the streets or public places of said city, provided such band shall have first procured a permit from the mayor or granting them such privilege.

Section 7. All applications for licenses shall be made to the mayor. Whenever the mayor shall grant a license in pursuance of this chapter he shall give to the person or persons applying for such license a certificate signed by him specifying the amount to be paid for such license, which certificate shall be delivered to the city treasurer and the city treasurer is hereby prohibited from receiving

any money for such license from any person who does not present and surrender to him such certificate from the mayor.

Section 8. Each license issued under the provisions of this chapter shall be signed by the mayor, countersigned by the city clerk and sealed with the corporate seal of the city, and licenses issued in pursuance thereof shall not be assignable to the benefit of any person other than to the person to whom such license was originally issued. And no such license shall be issued until the applicant shall have paid to the city treasurer the license fee as provided in this chapter and any license issued without such payment shall be absolutely void. Every license granted shall specify the amount paid, the period of duration of the time and the purpose for which granted, and shall be of no validity after such time or for any other purpose than therein stated.

Section 9. Every person having procured a license as provided in this chapter shall exhibit the same to the chief of police or any policeman of said city whenever requested, and it shall be the duty of the chief of police to cause all persons required by this chapter to have a license to exhibit the same to him, and to make complaint against all persons violating any of the provisions of this chapter.

Section 10. It shall be the duty of the city clerk to keep a record of all licenses granted under the provisions of this chapter, wherein shall be stated the number of the license, to whom issued, the date thereof and the time for which the same is to run.

Section 11. Lectures, entertainments of a scientific, historical, literary or musical character, and concerts, exhibitions or fairs, given by the city of Rhineland or under their management or control, for humane, religious, charitable or scientific purposes shall be exempt from the provisions of this chapter.

Section 12. Any person violating any of the provisions of this chapter, shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished by a fine of not less than one dollar nor more than one hundred dollars.

SALE.

N. Swaydan will hold a sale of European lace sets, drawn-work laces, oriental hand-made goods, Japanese kimono, hand embroidered waist patterns, novelties, etc., at Mrs. C. J. O'Brien's millinery store No. 3 Brown Street, Friday, Saturday and Monday, February 21-22-23.

Agreed with His Honor.

At the close of a lengthened and bitter wrangle between the judge and a prominent counsel the former said: "Well, sir, if you do not know how to conduct yourself as a gentleman, I'm sure I can't teach you." To which the barrister mildly replied: "That is so, your honor."

Kings in Exile.

In the Philadelphia directory for 1785 is the following entry: "Dorleans Messrs. Merchants, near 100 South Fourth street." These were Louis Philippe, afterward king of France, and two of his brothers, who lived at the northwest corner of Fourth and Prince streets.

As Seen by Him.

We live in a machine age. We are wound up like automata and we do the same things at the same time, never vary, never make the slightest departure from the conventional, and yet we think we enjoy ourselves. Perhaps if we could devise some departure from our routine we would be less migratory, and we would be able to conquer our nomadic habits.—Vogue.

Waste of Time.

We all complain of the shortness of time, and yet have much more than we know what to do with. Our lives are spent either in doing nothing at all, or in doing nothing to the purpose, or in doing nothing that we ought to do; we are always complaining that our days are few, and acting as though there would be no end of them.—Senecca.

Willing to Be Sociable.

A little three-year-old, who is very precocious, was lying in her bed being put to sleep in the dark with her father sitting beside her waiting for her to get to sleep, when this one-sided conversation took place: "Hello, dada." No answer. "How do do, dada?" No answer. "How you feel, dada?" Same answer. After a few moments' silence: "Glad to see you, dada."

Whooping Cough at Ninety.

Whooping cough is generally regarded as an infantile disease, but in the Devonshire (Eng.) village of Upottery, although no children are affected, quite a number of elderly villagers have been attacked by the ailment. The latest victim is over 90 years of age.

Appeal to His Friends.

The following advertisement is clipped from a Baltimore newspaper of recent date: "W. H. Logue, Jr., 931 North Broadway, having been assigned to jury duty in the criminal court, earnestly requests the patronage of his friends and acquaintances."—Law Notes.

As He Saw It.

"Everybody jumps on me," sobbed the boy who had been sent to bed. "I can't do nothing right; everything is blamed on me. I guess I must be a trust or a millionaire," which showed that the boy had been reading the papers.—Detroit Free Press.

"To What Base Usual"

One of the oldest and least inviting signs travelers to Egypt have come across is a notice affixed to one of the royal tombs, near Luxor, on the banks of the Nile, and which reads as follows: "This tomb is especially reserved for luncheons."

Now Is the Accepted Time.

Higher than question of our duration is the question of our deserving. Immortality will come to such as are fit for it; and he who would be a great soul in the future must be a great soul now.—Emerson.

Too Bad.

Little Edgar had been reading about the beautiful paintings on the ceilings and the walls of some of the great cathedrals of Italy. Looking up from his book, he said:

"It was too bad, wasn't it, father?"

"What do you mean?"

"About Raphael and Michelangelo and those other painters not having money enough to buy canvases to paint on."

No Wood in Slinger Building.

The Slinger building in New York is the highest in the world, but there is not enough wood in it to make a lead pencil. It can never catch fire from within. The architect refused to make a skyscraper of their first building, but now that the city is disfigured for good he is willing to put up commercial towers if allowed to make them fireproof.

Fabric Practically Everlasting.

The Russians manufacture a fabric from the fiber of a filamentous stone from the Siberian mines which is said to be of so durable a nature that it is practically everlasting. The material is soft to the touch and pliable in the extreme, and has only to be thrown into a fire when dirty to be made, absolutely clean.

British Eat Many Potatoes.

It is estimated that in the British Isles 6,000,000 tons of potatoes are produced annually on about 600,000 acres, giving an average of ten tons to the acre, but a very large quantity of potatoes comes from abroad, so that the annual consumption is much larger than these figures would indicate.

Benefit of Daily Labor.

Thank God every morning when you get up, that you have something to do that day which must be done whether you like it or not. Being forced to work, and forced to do your best, will breed in you temperance, self control, diligence, strength of will, content, and a hundred virtues which the idle never know.—Charles Kingsley.

Area of the Canadian Provinces.

The areas of the several provinces of Canada is as follows: Ontario, 260,862 square miles; Quebec, 351,873; Nova Scotia, 21,428; New Brunswick, 27,985; Prince Edward Island, 2,184; Manitoba, 73,732; British Columbia, 372,630; Saskatchewan, 225,000; Alberta, 225,000.

Reverence.

In reverence is the chief joy and power of life. Reverence for what is pure and bright in your own youth; for what is true and tried in the age of others; for all that is gracious among the living, great among the dead, and marvelous in the powers that cannot die.—Carlyle.

Lions Ate Mail Matter.

A peculiar occurrence has taken place in Northwestern Rhodesia, when the mail bag containing the letters for the northeastern part of the country were destroyed by lions near Petanke. The big animals ate the mail matter.

Electrocution.

Capital punishment by electricity was adopted by the state of New York from January 1, 1889. The execution of William Kemmler by electricity was effected, with some difficulty in August, 1900, and was the first execution by this mode.

"Echo Answers 'Who?'"

Who knows if the happy and healthy mother of one or two children has not done better service to the state than the domestic drudge who has a round dozen infants whom she cannot properly rear?

Hearing Sound of Thunder.

Thunder can be heard as much as 25 miles away and it may be absolutely inaudible when only nine miles distant; this depending upon conditions of the air and upon intervening obstacles.

When Matting Fades.

A thrifty young housekeeper who was much distressed to find her matting had faded, treated it with an oak stain of floor varnish and was delighted with the results.

Royal Road to Beauty.

Keep young, of course, by keeping in health, cultivating a smile and scattering pleasure. You may become radiant, lovely and sparkling by pursuing the correct road to beauty.

It Is Plain Business

==we never carry goods from one season to another it is a strong rule with us to begin every season with new goods==while it has often necessitated a loss on our part we would rather take a loss on some goods than pack them away and carry them over==right now we are holding a final clearance of all winter goods==men's and boys' overcoats==mackinaws==sheep coats==wool underwear, mittens, caps, socks, etc., are all being sold at prices that should interest you. You would be using good judgment by taking advantage of these bargain days and supply yourself for even a season ahead==the goods offered at cut prices are all new clean fresh goods==bought for this season's trade--for instance you can buy a \$22 overcoat at \$13.75==5.00 sheep lined coat with sheep collar at 3.45==a 5.00 mackinaw 3.15==1.50 wool underwear at 95c--1.00 wool underwear at 69c--men's fleeced underwear at 20c--1.00 asbestos mitts at 79c, etc.—Come here expecting the best bargains you ever bought and you will not be disappointed.

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The store that sets the pace.

Originators of low prices.

REDUCED COLONIST RATES.

One-way tickets at Special low rates on sale daily throughout March and April, from all points on the Northwestern Line to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland and Puget Sound points.

Daily and Personally conducted tours in tourist sleeping cars via the Chicago, Union Pacific & Northwestern Line. For full particulars write S. A. Hutchison, Manager, Tourist Dept., 212 Clark St., Chicago, Ill., or address nearest ticket agent.

Own Your Own Home

We are owners of 400 acres of land within two and one half miles of Rhineland, Wisconsin, which we will sell to any bonified settler at \$10.00 an acre; terms, \$1.00 an acre cash and the balance in ten equal annual payments at 6 per cent. interest.

Here is a chance for you to pick out as much of these 400 acres, as you want, and move right on to the land, and commence work.

WRITE US TODAY for description of the land and any further information you may require.

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CRUSOE'S Dept. Store

FINE EMBROIDERIES

We are showing some extra fine Swiss Embroideries in new and beautiful designs which we have been fortunate in securing at bargain prices and are offering a limited number of pieces at about half value. They are the finest goods and newest and most handsome designs ever shown in the house.

4 inch fine embroidered Swiss straight edge effect, value 35c. Per yard.....18c
8 inch fine embroidered Swiss scalloped edge, value 75c. Per yard.....38c
4 inch embroidered Swiss, very sheer and fine, value 90c. Per yard.....45c

WASHABLE SUITINGS

40 inch shepherd checks in the new cotton Henrietta, yard.....35c
27 inch "chimmer Silk" gingham in gray and white check, yard.....50c
27 inch pink and white check silk gingham, yard.....35c
Imported fine French silk gingham, pink and blue, 27 inch, yard.....50c

RED CROSS SHOES

The newest new style shoes for women. Require no "breaking in."
3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 4.50

THE CITY IN BRIEF

Reeve Perrot, conductor on the Soo is taking a few days' vacation.
A change of moving pictures every night at the "Bijou" Theatre.
Mrs. John McElrone is spending the week with her husband at Winches-ter.
A. W. Shelton went to Dubuque, Iowa, the first of the week on legal business.
F. E. Kretlow is again able to at- tend to business after an illness of two weeks.
I have wall paper in every grade and coloring and can save you nearly one-half on your wall paper needs.
J. J. Reardon.
Sheriff Dolan and Matt Stapleton spent the latter part of last week in Milwaukee attending the Democratic State convention.
A. Berquest, who has been employ- ed at Chas. Fredrickson's shoe store for a long period, left Monday night for Minneapolis, where he will make his home with his son, who owns the American Business College in that city.
E. R. Garvey was a business caller in the city Tuesday.
Remember the "Bijou," the only safe amusement place in the city.
Miss Kate Walsh of Star Lake spent Sunday with her sister, Miss Hattie.
Miss Ada Haas, who teaches at North Crandon spent Sunday in the city.
The largest, the latest, and the best line of postals at Hinman's Drug Store.
Misses Leona Schlessmann and Ger- trude Mahoney went to Minocqua, Monday.
The Lucky Nine Clnch Club meets with Mrs. Fred Langlois Saturday af- ternoon.
Jim McElrone went to Bruce yes- terday where he has accepted a pos- ition with the Arpla Lbr. Co.
Roy Lockwood has taken his old place at the City Shoe Store, begin- ning his duties Monday morning.
Miss Margaret Phillips had the mis- fortune to fall at the skating rink Friday evening, breaking her right wrist.
Cut rates on household goods to Pa- cific coast and other points. Superior services at reduced rates. The Lloyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.



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'INSURANCE That INSURES'
Merchants' State Bank Building. Phone 240.

J. D. Myreia of Wausau was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Paul Browne entertained at cards Wednesday afternoon.

Join the Night School of Business. Miss Kleinknecht No. 7, S. Brown St.

Miss Mary McGinley was home from Robbins, spending Sunday with her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Weedeman of Antigo were in the city the first of the week.

Miss Alta Taylor of Monico arrived in the city Friday to visit at the Has- kins home.

Miss Margie Holland went to Mad- ison this morning to visit friends for two weeks.

D. A. Kahn of Woodruff was in the city Tuesday. Mr. Kahn is well known here.

Reardon's Tasteless Castor Oil is pure castor oil with the disagreeable taste removed.

Ruth and Gladys Saterstrom have been seriously ill with measles. They are better now.

Miss Josephine Quinlan is in the hospital undergoing a slight opera- tion on her foot.

Bert Watts left Monday morning for Conover where he will act in the capacity of camp cook.

Don't forget the Measuring Party at the Guild Hall Tuesday evening Feb. 25th. At eight o'clock.

Thomas Connor who has been ill with pneumonia at St. Mary's Hospi- tal has recovered sufficiently to leave the hospital.

Nothing else on the market like th A. D. S. Remedies, they are all non- secret and every dose effective. For sale at Hinman's drug store.

Mr. Harwick of Appleton, while on a business trip in this vicinity, stop- ped off for a short visit at the Danfield home on Frederick St.

The Ladies' Aid of the German Lutheran church will meet at the home of Mrs. Chas. Tober 821 Arbutus Street on Thursday, Feb. 27, 3 p. m.

Roy Markham returned Saturday night to Chicago to resume his stud- ies in the pharmacy department of Northwestern University, after an absence of a week.

Don't forget that the Royal Neigh- bors give their big masquerade ball, Monday evening, March 2, at Gilligan Hall. Prizes will be awarded to those wearing best costumes.

If you want your watch and Jewe- lry repaired go to Ferdinand Hlryz the watchmaker. All work guaranteed and prices always the lowest.

F. Huxxy, Jeweler.

The Y. M. C. A. Club of Rhineland- or serve a cafeteria supper at the Congregational Church parlors, Sat- urday, February 22, at 5:30 to 8 p. m. All are cordially invited.

The Twentieth Century Clnch Club met with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Forbes Saturday evening. The prizes were taken by Mr. and Mrs. La Doux. The Club meets this week with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson.

Your last chance to see the great Thaw-White tragedy. Actual scenes of Harry K. Thaw, Evelyn Nesbit Thaw and Stanford White, no bad features shown in this picture, at the "Bijou" tonight. Don't miss it.

At this office, fine map hangers, consisting of three maps, one of the world, one of Wisconsin, one of the United States and the Panama Canal Region. A fund of information in small space should be in every home. Price 25 cents.

Mrs. Colon Hutchinson, who has been in Antigo since the death of her husband, arrived in the city the lat- ter part of last week and will remain for some time with her mother, Mrs. Emil Krueger. Mrs. Vanderwalker of Antigo accompanied Mrs. Hutchin- son for a short visit.

At the Bijou, last Monday evening, the Military band gave a concert to a crowded house. There was scarcely standing room. The work of the band becomes more and more appre- ciated as time goes on. It should be so for the members give much time to painstaking practice and have spe- cial ability in the work.

A number of the friends of Fred Langlois gave him a pleasant surprise Saturday evening. It being his birth- day anniversary, he was presented with a leather chair. Music and cards furnished entertainment for the evening. Mrs. McDermott and Mr. Hlitz won the first prizes; Mrs. Ros- onweiz and Mr. Barber, the consol- ation prizes.

The M. E. Ladies will give a sup- per at the Armory, Friday night, Feb. 21, 1908.

Beef Loaf Creamed Potatoes Horsradish Baked Beans Brown and White Bread Cabbage Salad

Doughnuts Supper 25 cents. Why get up in the morning feeling blue, Worry others and worry you! Here's a secret between you and me, Better take Rocky Mountain Tea.

J. J. Reardon.

The fire department was called out Sunday afternoon to extinguish a chimney fire at the court house. On- ly a few burned joists around the chimney resulted. As the hose cart turned the corner, the slippery con- dition of the road caused the wagon to be overturned; in consequence, Owen Leonard was pretty well cri- ppled, tho' his bruises were not seri- ous. The other occupants were able to save themselves by jumping.
E. Kelley, the drayman has a com- plete outfit for moving pianos. —

Mrs. Henry Brager is ill with grip this week.

Attend the Wausau Business Col- lege, Wausau, Wisconsin. —

Mrs. D. Fowle of Drummond is visiting her brother Wan. Acker.

Mrs. John Collins is again able to be out after a two weeks' siege with the grip.

Mrs. Angus McDonald of Hurley came down Saturday to visit friends in the city.

The family of C. A. Wilson moved into their new residence on Dahl St. last Friday.

The Catholic ladies are planning a twelve o'clock dinner for March 17. Particulars later.

Miss Eva Hildebrand returned to Madison Monday morning, after a week's vacation.

Don't forget the big moving picture show at the Opera House, Saturday night. Three hours show for 5 and 10 cents.

G. J. Clark has a gasoline engine with a complete wood-sawing outfit. If you wish your wood sawed tele- phone 183-2.

A new singer from Chicago has been engaged to sing the illustrated songs at the Opera House and will arrive Friday.

J. L. McLaughlin returned from Wausau, Saturday where he has com- pleted a course at the Wausau Busi- ness College.

Turn out and get a square at the boys' cafeteria Supper at Congrega- tional Church Saturday afternoon, Feb. 22nd, 5-30 to 8.

St. Augustine's Guild will give a Measuring Party at the Guild Hall Tuesday evening, Feb. 25. A cordial invitation is given to all to attend.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For city property, a farm of 80 acres 3½ miles from town, good buildings and a good well. Geo. Ames Jr.

Measuring Party at Guild Hall Tuesday evening Feb. 25, at 8 o'clock. A musical program followed by social evening. Refreshments will be serv- ed.

The sale of patent medicines among the more enlightened classes is dying out owing to the introduction of the scientific Rex-all remedies. Ask drug- gist Reardon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sawtell very pleasantly entertained at cards Fri- day evening. Progressive Grand was played, the winners being Mrs. W. H. Trumbull and T. L. LaDoux.

The Quinlan sisters have moved in- to the building formerly occupied by the Morgan Star Market on Stevens Street, and will soon have their mil- linery and dress making parlors equip- ped for business.

If you want to understand and ap- preciate moving pictures you should attend the "Bijou" Theatre. Two performances every evening, first show 7:30, second show about 8:30. Matinee every Saturday p. m.

If you suffer with indigestion, con- stipation, feel mean and cross, no strength or appetite, your system is unhealthy. Hollister's Rocky Moun- tain Tea makes the system strong and healthy. 35c, Tea or Tablets.
J. J. Reardon.

An out of town subscriber to The New North writes as follows: "I un- derstand Rhinelander is going on the "Water wagon." What is the matter, is the beer business gone bankrupt or is the Pelican River dried up?"

Elmer Danfield has taken the pos- ition of shoe salesman at the David Jacobson store. Up to a few years ago, Mr. Danfield spent his life as a salesman in the dry goods business and will be remembered as a familiar figure in several of our leading places of business.

Now is the time to order dry 16 n. and 4 ft. wood.
Brown Bros. Lmn. Co.

A number of High School girls gave a leap year party last Friday at the Guild Hall. The Hall was prettily trimmed with red and yellow festoons and in commemoration of St. Valen- tine, hearts of various styles were in evidence. According to reports, both girls and boys enjoyed the affair im- mensely.

Dr. and Mrs. C. H. O'Connor enter- tained at dinner, a company of ladies and gentlemen Tuesday evening. Green was used as a color scheme, both in decorations and in the various courses in which the dinner was serv- ed, producing an artistic effect. After dinner Grand was played, the prize winners being Mrs. E. O. Brown and Judge Billings.

Mr. C. R. Crosby returned Satur- day morning from California where he and Mrs. Crosby have spent the past four weeks. They met Miss Havans, who acted as librarian in our public library, and who now has a position in the public library at Los Angeles. Mrs. Crosby stopped at Bes- lot for a few days, arriving home Tuesday night.

FOR SALE:—Mixed dry, green body tamarack and green hard wood for sale. Inquire at New North office.

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APPLETON, - WIS.

VISITS RHINELANDER REGULARLY, RAPIDS HOUSE

Miss Mary McKee was home from New London over Sunday.

Mrs. Hlitenburg of Park Falls was a guest at the home of Frank Jackson a few days, arriving Friday night.

The Military Band will play at the Opera House Monday night, Feb. 24; 4000 feet of pictures after the concert all for 5 and 10 cents.

The Leap year party given at Gill- gan's Hall last evening was a decided success, both as to numbers and en- joyment. A large crowd was in at- tendance. Music was furnished by Military Orchestra.

Trains from the south Wednesday showed signs of having passed through snow drifts and were several hours behind their scheduled time. Much snow, accompanied by fierce gales almost suspended traffic in the south- ern part of the state. The storm reached points just below Antigo, those sections that don't want snow are getting it all this winter while we that wish for it and need it are left out of the storm area.

WANT COLUMN.

WANTED:—Boy, permanent employ- ment. Crusoe's Dept. Store.

WANTED:—Good young delivery horse weighing about 2000 lbs; call or write Horst & Shannon, Rhinelander, Wis.

WANTED:—Two teams with drivers to haul wood. Inquire at New North Office.

A man with a large experience as a cook wishes a position in a camp or boarding house. Inquire at The New North office.

Lost:—Gray squirrel fur on Brown street, Wednesday night. Leave at New North.

Lost:—A fur between City Bakery and Postoffice, Saturday evening. Finder leave at New North Office.

For rent:—Modern new house, 11 rooms, at Baird Ave, by Chas. Neue. —

For rent:—A house in the sixth ward and one in the second ward. Apply to Brown Bros. Lmn. Co.

N. S. Chase has some very desir- able Brown street business property (adjoining Morrill and Barber's store) for sale. Also other good busi- ness property. Enquire at the GROUND FLOOR GALLERY.

For sale:—Good organ, cheap. In- quire at New North Office. —

For sale:—At this office, fine map hangers, consisting of three maps, 1 of the world, 1 of Wisconsin, 1 of the United States and the Panama Canal Region. A fund of information in small space, should be in every home. Price 25 cents.

For sale:—16 in. and 4 ft. slab wood, also same in hard wood slabs. Pelican River Lbr. Co., Phone 102-1

Word has been received by friends, from Max Zimmerman, who, for some time was employed in the Rhine- lander Paper Mill, and who is now foreman for the United Box, Board & Paper Co. at Wabash, Ind. He says that he and his family like the country there very much and that he enjoys his work. The coldest weath- er so far was two below zero and at the time of his writing the grass was getting green.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to extend our heartfelt thanks to the kind friends and neigh- bors, also the M. W. A. and P. R. A. orders, who so kindly assisted us dur- ing our sad bereavement in the death and burial of our beloved husband and father.

Mrs. R. FROKHART AND SON.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

Several well improved farms, thirty to one hundred and sixty acre tracts, all nicely located, with good buildings and etc. Apply to Aug. Urbanke, Rhinelander, or write Chas. M. Wirth, Appleton, Wis.

NORTH SIDE.

Mrs. W. Whipple returned Sunday from a week's visit in Antigo.

Emmet Apker, assistant barber on Thayer Street has been severely ill for the past ten days with lagrippe and measles.

Frank Smith is confined to his home on Mason Street from an accident on Robbins' logging road by being caught in the couplers.

Mrs. S. Kettner of Woodboro was the guest of her son on the North Side the fore part of the week.

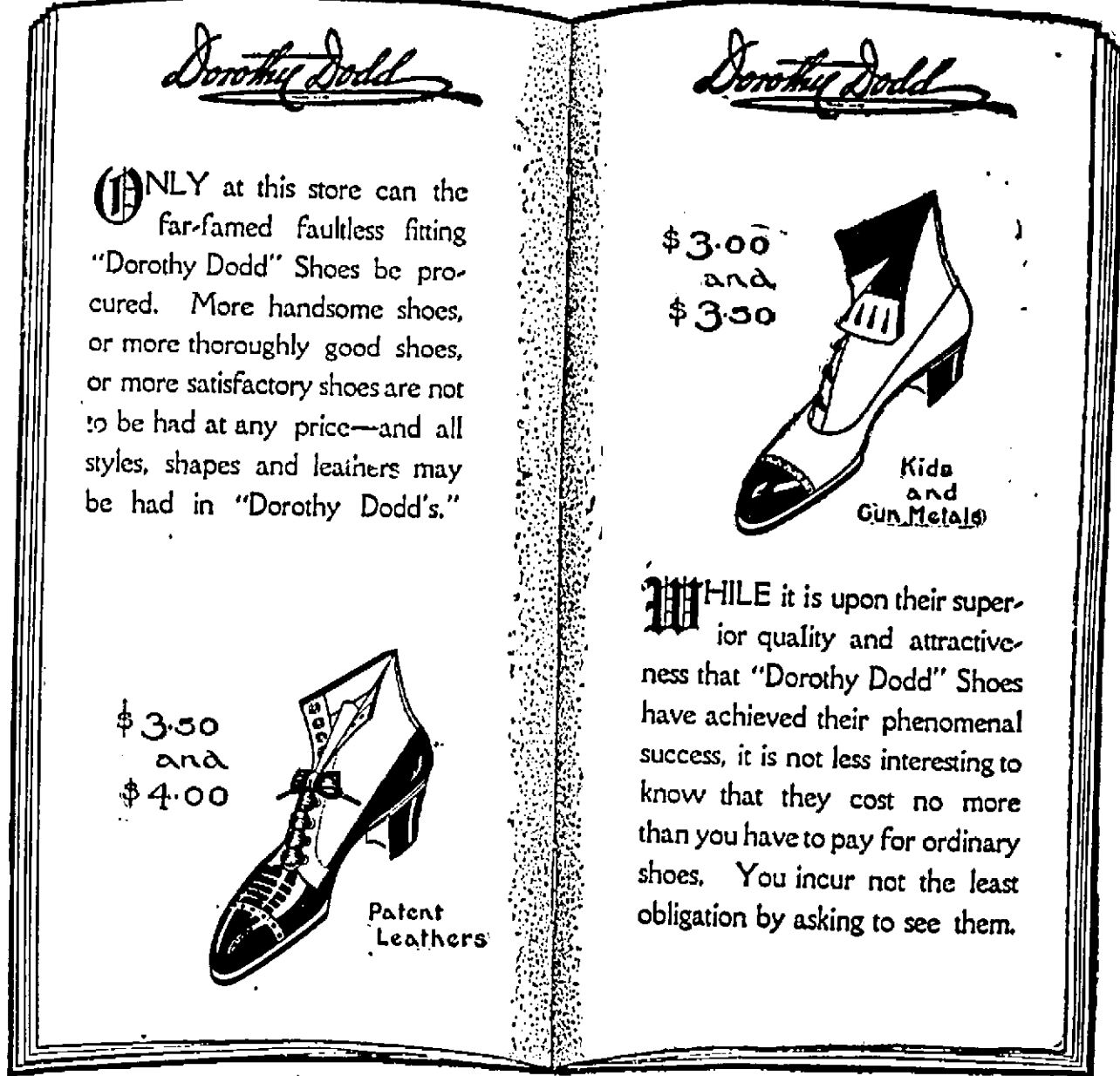
Hans Anderson and family are mov- ing into their new quarters over Mr. Anderson's store on Brown Street this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Perry entertain- ed a number of their friends at cards on Saturday evening last. A boun- teous lunch was served.

Mrs. Joe Haack is confined to her home with lagrippe this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Krueger and Mrs. Gust Swedberg left Tuesday morning for Somerset to visit the healer.

Mrs. Ed. Ruggles entertained about forty of the Royal Neighbors at cards Tuesday afternoon, it being her birth- day. The Neighbors presented her with an elegant Japanese tea set. An elegant lunch was served and all re- port a good time.



Dorothy Dodd

ONLY at this store can the far-famed faultless fitting "Dorothy Dodd" Shoes be pro- cured. More handsome shoes, or more thoroughly good shoes, or more satisfactory shoes are not to be had at any price—and all styles, shapes and leathers may be had in "Dorothy Dodd's."

\$3.00 and \$3.50

Kids and Gun Metals

WHILE it is upon their super-ior quality and attractive-ness that "Dorothy Dodd" Shoes have achieved their phenomenal success, it is not less interesting to know that they cost no more than you have to pay for ordinary shoes. You incur not the least obligation by asking to see them.

Patent Leathers

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Peoples Saving Store

O. A. KOLDEN, Prop.

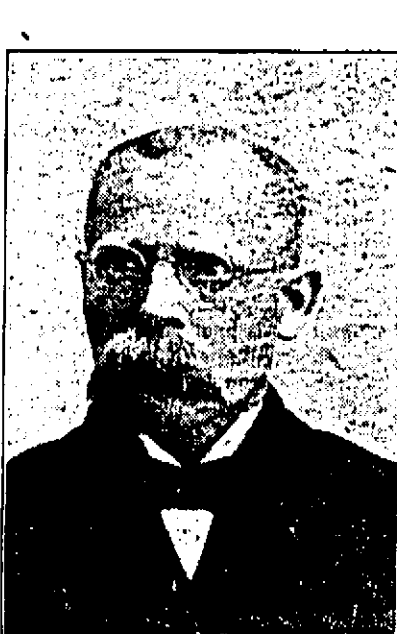
RHINELANDER DRUMMER

E. P. LAUGESSEN, Prop.

FEBRUARY 1908

No. 1

Men's Clothing--- Good Goods at Right Prices



This is my first trip to this city and for this reason I am rather reluctant in calling on the general public. You will readi- ly see I am obliged to call on all kinds of people, people in the different states of lives, it does not matter whether they are old or young, high or low, thick or thin, slim or puffy, fat or lean, rich or poor, wherever I am or- dered to go I call, I am GLAD I MET YOU—and assure you my friend, if you will listen to my tale you will learn something. What I know would of course make a big book but, alas, what I do not know would make a greater and better book, no doubt.

I am in the Clothing and Gentlemen's furnishing business here; I am the man who bought the entire stock from Mr. Block, "The New Clothing Store" next door to Mr. Bronson. The stock I bought is new and clean and well assorted for winter and spring stock, but my store is not very large, and the room is limited. I am forced to sell some of my goods even at a sacrifice in order to make room for summer goods.

A Special Sale for this purpose will begin Wednesday, Feb. 19, and last ten days.

This sale is neither a going out of business nor a remnant sale, (we have no remnants) but it is as above stat- ed, a compulsion sale to make room for new goods. I am asking you to come to my new store and look over the things for yourselves and be convinced.

My business is going to be done just a shade differ- ent from the old and regular way. [I am nota shrewd man, only a plain Merchant, in fact, I am a dane, was born in Denmark and came over here a few years ago.]

The regular prices will remain on the goods where they are marked now, and the special sale price will be plainly marked, no fake—straight and fair dealing will be our motto. There will be no reduction from the prices marked for this sale.

My business will be a strictly cash business no credit at all.

My store will be open for the public six days in every week, but Sunday this store is closed, and the fellow with the key has gone to church.

Those who cast their lots with me are wise and will surely reap the benefit—watch our display window prices plainly marked, for these ten days, there is a bonanza for any one who need the goods.

We offer you 300 suits Men's clothes.

We offer you 280 pair Men's and Boys' pants.

We offer 27 mackinaw jackets. 15 sheepskin lined jackets. 500 pair mittens and gloves. 6 doz. flannel shirts. 325 pieces all wool underwear. 200 dress shirts.

And 1000 other articles we have not time to mention at a discount of 25 to 35 per cent from our regular price.

Hats, Caps, Shoes, Rubbers, Etc.

Yours for business,

NEW CLOTHING STORE

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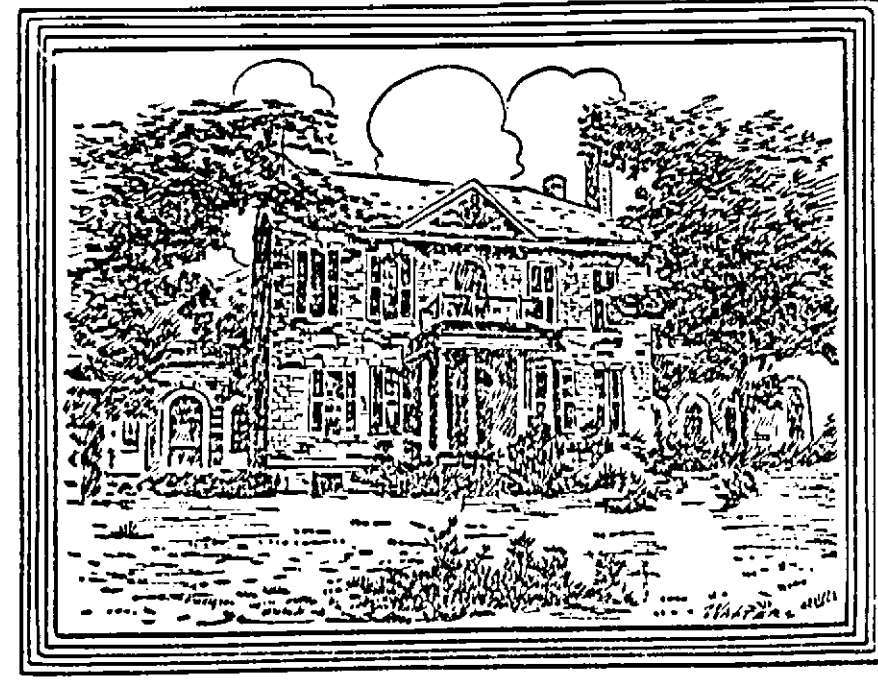
The One Hundred and Seventy-Sixth Anniversary of Washington's Birth

George Washington was born on the banks of the Potomac, in Westmoreland county, Virginia, on February 22, 1732.

At the age of 16 he was a good surveyor and at 19 he was adjutant of one of the Virginia militia districts, with the rank of major.

At the age of 21 he was selected by Gov. Dinwiddie of Virginia as a "person of distinction," under orders of the British government, to demand an explanation of the French, who were forming settlements in the northwest and in the Mississippi valley.

At the age of 23 he was commissioned as colonel in the British army, and from that time, when as a soldier



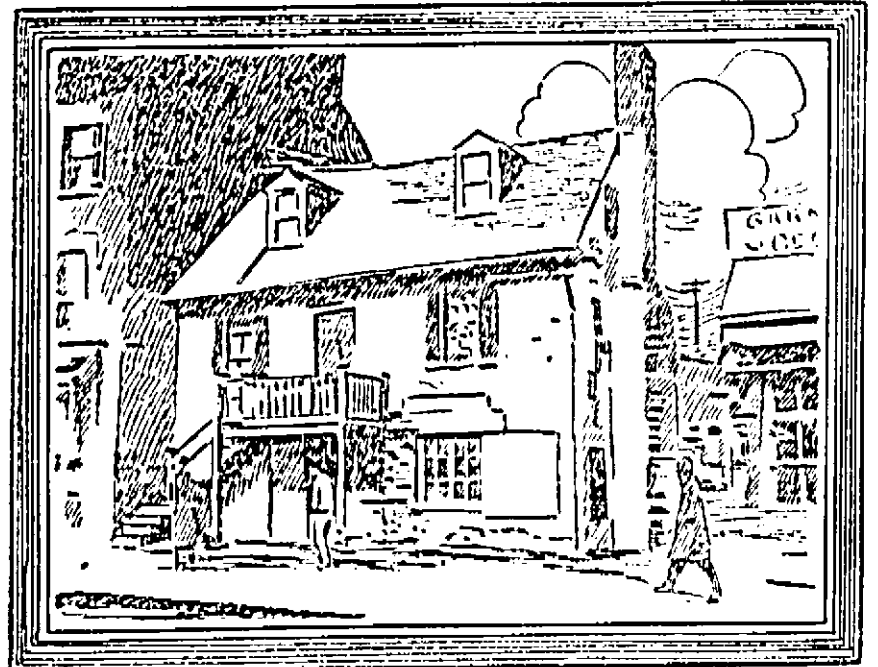
Woodlawn Mansion, Westmoreland County, Virginia, One of Washington's Earliest Homes.

of the king, he became distinguished on the field, until he took leave of his officers on November 22, 1753, after having overthrown the royal government, he was the most important factor in the affairs of the new country.

Ending an eventful and successful military career, he retired to his home at Mount Vernon, Va., from which place in 1784 he wrote to Lafayette: "I have become a private citizen on the banks of the Potomac, and under the shadow of my own vine and fig tree, free from the bustle of the camp. . . I am solacing myself with those tranquil enjoyments of which the soldier who is ever in pursuit of fame, the statesman . . . and the courtier . . . can have little conception."

At the time Washington wrote the quoted words to Lafayette he had no thought that he would be called as the president of the republic, the living reality of which he had created, but so, and on the 20th day of April, 1789, having been elected on the 6th day of the same month, he took the oath of office in New York city, having journeyed to that place from Mount Vernon in his private carriage.

The national government, in conjunction with the states, has undertaken to do honor to his memory by making his birthday a national holiday and by erecting monuments of marble pointing skyward, but the grandest and most expressive tribute



Washington's Headquarters While Directing Survey of Washington City, 1791.

is embodied in the lettering: "First in War, First in Peace, First in the Hearts of His Countrymen," as chiseled on the statue which stands on the plaza at the east of the capitol.

NEW WASHINGTON LETTER.

Written in Revolution's Final Days and Hitherto Unpublished.

A three-page folio revolutionary letter of Gen. George Washington, said to be unpublished heretofore, is dated "Hedge, New Windsor, May 6, 1781," and is addressed to Gen. Clinton.

Although not in Washington's handwriting, it is signed and franked by him. It is of historical interest, as it was written during the last campaign of the revolution.

Cornwallis, who was at Wilmington, had begun his march into Virginia to join Arnold and try to capture Lafayette and his 3,000 men. The American army was in a greatly weakened condition, and Washington's letter shows how keenly he was alive to the situation. He wrote:

"Alarmed at the critical situation of the garrison of Fort Mifflin, I ordered out of the small pittance in our magazine 50 barrels of meat and the same quantity of flour, to be transported from this army and instantly thrown into that garrison, but the commissary reports that there are but

Washington was a very enthusiastic Mason, and was identified with the lodge in Alexandria, Va., which was chartered in 1783 under the Pennsylvania jurisdiction, but in 1788 it was rechartered as the Alexandria Washington lodge, No. 22, and Washington was named as worshipful master in the charter.

Christ church, Alexandria, Va., ivy and moss covered, was completed and delivered over to the vestry on February 27, 1778, the construction having been begun January 1, 1767. Col. Washington was one of the first vestrymen of the church, and on the day that it was turned over to the builders he purchased pew No. 5

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for the sum of £26 10 shillings, agree also to pay an annual rental of £5 for the same.

The church was consecrated by Bishop Cloggett of Maryland on June 14, 1814. This ancient and historic edifice is still used as a place of worship. It is kept open every week day, and is annually visited by thousands. A small admission fee is charged for the purpose of defraying the expense of keeping it open to the public. In the rear of and on the south side is an old burial ground, and some very old tablets, antedating the construction of the church, are still standing. In a remarkable state of preservation.

The square pew, with open door, on the right of the pulpit and under the balcony, is pew No. 5, which was occupied by Col. Washington when attending services there until the date of his death; he never changed his membership from the church. A silver plate, bearing his autograph, is on the top of the pew door. Originally all the pews in the church were built in a square form, but later, with the exception of the Washington pew, were changed to the present-day style of construction.

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THE LOVE AFFAIRS OF GEORGE WASHINGTON

By VALERIE HOPE

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We are so accustomed to pictures of George Washington in a rigid attitude, with sternly compressed lips and generally forbidding expression, that we forget he was ever young and a human being of flesh and blood like the rest of us.

Instead of being a cold-blooded prig Washington was magnetic in personality and a great social favorite. He was the finest horseman in Virginia, an exceedingly graceful dancer and a dandy in ruffles, gold lace, velvet, silk stockings and diamond buckles, who caused a flurry in female hearts whenever he appeared.

Young Washington was always falling in love, and after his engagement to Mrs. Custis was announced his mother wrote to a friend: "I have had a great deal of trouble with George, but it is all over now." His first attack of the heart occurred when he was 15 years old, and the object of his affections was Miss Frances Alexander, aged 17, whose father's plantation adjoined Mount Vernon.

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that town that after her rejected suit, or became famous and visited Williamsburg as the guest of the people who watched the triumphant pageant from a window and when the great hero saw her he waved his sword and saluted her, whereupon the lady fainted away.

On another occasion he fell in love with Miss Mary Phillips, the beautiful daughter of a wealthy Englishman who lived in a superb mansion on the Hudson near West Point. Washington promptly proposed, but was told that somebody else's conquest was already engaged to be married. Washington said afterward that he thought things might have resulted differently if he had waited "till the lady was in the mood."

Washington was too wise to turn into a woman later merely because he had been thrown down three times in succession. He knew there were plenty of pretty fish in the aquarium and that it would be only a matter of time when he'd make a good catch.

That time came just two years after he was killed by Miss Phillips, and it happened in this way: Col. Washington was on his way to Williamsburg on official business, and while crossing Williams ferry was accosted by a hospitable old gentleman, who asked him to rest a while at his home in the neighborhood. The colonel answered that his pressing business would not permit the time. But as an inducement, the old gentleman mentioned that among the guests at his house was the handsomest young widow in all Virginia! That changed matters. The young colonel smiled, hesitated, and then—well, then he



decided that he had more time than he had supposed!

Upon reaching the house he was introduced to the fascinating widow, Mrs. Martha Parke Custis, and we can imagine the coy glances of this enticing young creature, for it was a case of love at first sight. And instead of getting away in a few hours as he had intended, old Bishop, the colonel's servant, held his horse in readiness for hours and hours. But his master didn't come. In fact his delighted host had little difficulty in persuading him to stay until the next day.

Washington had just returned from a brilliant campaign, was gallant, young and handsome, and the clever widow didn't lose any time bringing down her game! A few days later Col. Washington visited Mrs. Custis at her own beautiful home and this time he offered his heart and sword with success. It is quite evident that a propitious reception awaited him, for on the way to the house he asked a slave if Mrs. Custis was at home, and he said, "Yes, sah, I reckon you's the gentleman what's 'spected." They did not meet again till their marriage six months later.

At that time Martha Custis was 27 years old—just three months younger than her fiancé. She was short, had eyes that snapped her name was very gay, and she was thought to come to be the most beautiful woman in America. She was the wealthiest woman in the old dominion and the mother of four children, two of whom were living. The marriage took place at the home of the bride in January, 1759. The exact date is uncertain.

Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Vermont, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia and Kentucky. The inscription within the scroll, in the quat

A RELIC OF WASHINGTON. Memorial Pitcher Made Shortly After the Death of First President.

Mrs. Edward A. Stevens, 206 West Lake street, Minneapolis, is the possessor of a rare Washington memorial pitcher, a limited number of which were made shortly after the death of George Washington, December 11, 1799. This pitcher was originally owned by Mrs. Stevens' great-grandfather, and has been handed down from family to family.

It is made of common ware, glazed over, and shows surface of extreme age. Although it only holds a quart, its present owner would not part with it for a quart of gold, holding it priceless.

On the side shown in the picture is an ode to liberty for the gaining of which Washington gave his best years in the service of his country. On the names of the 15 states in the union at the time of Washington's death. They are: Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey,

CARE OF THE KITCHEN.

Clean Walls Are an Essential to Sanitary Cooking.

It is not only important to know how to cook, but it is equally important to know where to cook. Cooking in a dirty kitchen can never produce good food. The idea is simply preposterous, yet kitchen walls are left for months—sometimes for years without cleansing.

In the first place the kitchen wall should have a light tint that the merest fleck of dirt can be seen; that the sheerest cobweb can be brushed away; that the thickest water bug can be discerned. It is all folly expecting clean food in a kitchen with dirty walls.

Never put a wall coating on a kitchen wall that is mixed with hot water or that has glue in it, or sour milk in it. It is mixed with cold water. Glue walls made from horses' hoofs colored up with cheap colorings do not indicate good housekeeping. The glue is constantly cracking off, falling into the food and the idea of food flavored with glue made from horses' hoofs is not appetizing.

Kitchen walls to be thoroughly satisfactory should be alabastered the same as every other wall in the house. They should be coated regularly in the spring and fall of each year with a light tint.

The care of the pantry requires constant attention. The walls should be brushed over every year, the dishes removed from the shelves which should be thoroughly wiped with hot water. If there are ant holes or any other insects in the pantry a thick putty of the wall coating can be made and all the ant holes, even small mice holes can be filled with it which will protect the pantry from the incursions of disagreeable insects and mice.

ANOTHER NARROW-MINDED MAN.



De Quiz—What do you call good winter weather?

De Quiz—Weather cold enough to make a man's wife think her own fire-side a better place than a matinee.

Merchants Visit Milwaukee. This is the season when merchants throughout the Northwest are turning to Milwaukee for their spring and summer goods. Milwaukee exhibitors and manufacturers have in turn prepared for the occasion. A visit to the metropolis of Wisconsin will repay those who intend to purchase their stock of spring goods or place an order for machinery in any of the renowned factories.

Milwaukee exhibitors deserve the patronage of the business men of the city. They offer good goods and as splendid a display at right prices as can be found anywhere. The absolute superiority of the product of Milwaukee's manufacturers is known throughout the world. This reduction of the railroad fare to two cents a mile has brought Milwaukee more closely in touch with merchants generally who may now travel at a minimum cost with maximum profit. While in Milwaukee a visit to the rooms of the Milwaukee Association of Jobbers and Manufacturers, 45-49 University Building, will bring any information that is needed.

This Cold World of Business.

The messenger boys paused outside the Army building, says the New York Sun. One of them was selecting a cigarette from a box.

"Gimme one," said the smokeless boy.

"Now," said the other, "they cost money."

"I'll give you a cent," said the first boy. "Come on, I'll pay you after."

"They cost more than a cent," said the boy with the cigarette. "Nothin' doin'." Your credit ain't no good! And they parted.

Getting Down to Facts. "In your opinion," asked the member of the investigating committee, "what is the cause of the evident unrest among the Indians?"

Comanche Pete, the noted scout, blew a cloud of smoke into the atmosphere.

"Then he took his pipe out of his mouth."

"Facts," he answered.

The Prevailing Excuse. "Judge," said the prisoner, who had been caught with a chicken in a sack, "you oughter go easy with me."

"Why? You stole the hen."

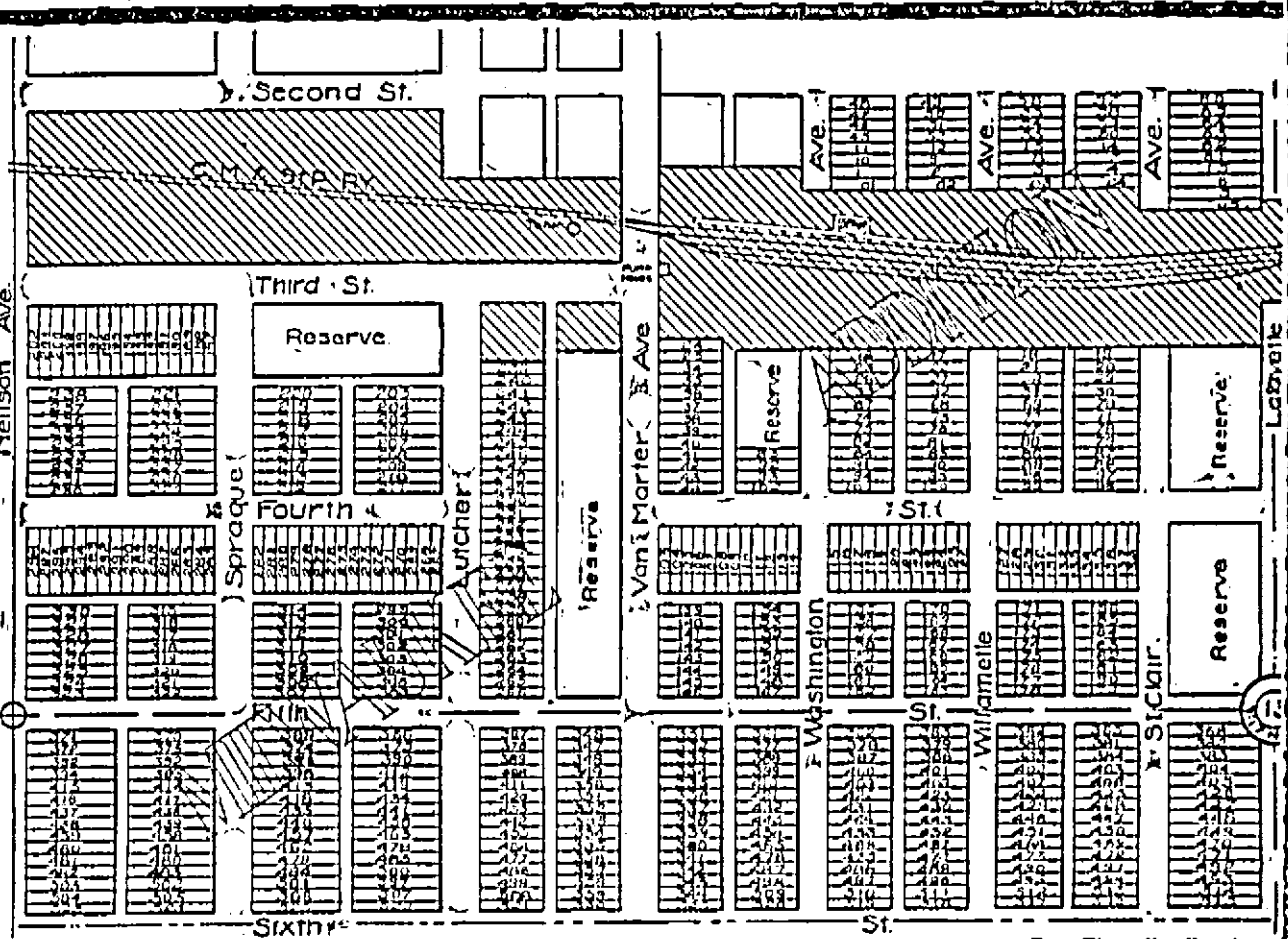
"I admits it, Judge; I admits it," responded the prisoner. "But it's solemn truth dat hen jest seemed to be my ally; yes, sah!"

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FIVE VALUABLE LOTS GIVEN AWAY!

In the Milwaukee Addition to LIND, WASH., adjoining the Depot Site of the new Transcontinental Railroad—the CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL RAILWAY CO. Look at the Map—Read the Instructions—and Hurry!



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IT owns its water works system and the water is upon the MILWAUKEE Addition ready for distribution.

IT has two staunch Banks. IT is shipping 1,500,000 bushels of wheat this year.

All lots in this addition are exactly the same price, \$150 each, and you can get one for \$10 down and \$10 per month, interest at 8% on deferred payments. The first five who send their money for purchase in answer to this ad, will respectively get lots Nos. 1 to 5 inclusive, and also get FREE therewith lots Nos. 6 to 10 inclusive. Then commencing with lot No. 6, all the lots will be sold consecutively as applications are received.

Note the map carefully, and that lots 1 to 250 are close to the depot site. Van Menter Avenue is the main business street and thoroughfare. Every lot is level as the floor. City water is piped upon the ground, but fine well water can be had by digging to a depth of from 15 to 20 feet.

Every lot is worth more than \$150 today, and those near the depot could easily be disposed of from \$200 to \$500. If you want a profit after four months, we will undertake to double your money, and if you hurry and get your money in quickly, and succeed thereby in securing any lot numbered from 1 to 150, you will want to keep it as a first-class investment. Every lot in the Addition will be worth double the purchase price when the Milwaukee road is in operation in the Spring of 1909.

There is no hot air about this proposition. It is absolutely bona fide, and we are anxious of this Addition quickly in order to inject new blood into Lind, which is destined to be one of the best towns in the state.

All lots will be sold in a few days after this ad, has been placed, and of course the first ones to send in the purchase price will secure the choicest lots, so YOU'LL HAVE TO HURRY!

There will be more purchasers than we have lots to dispose of, but money will be promptly returned to those who are not successful in securing a lot.

IMPORTANT!—Be sure to write your name and address plainly. All money must be sent either by Telegraph, Registered Letter, P.O. Money Order, Express, Bank Draft or Cashier's Check.

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